

25 PERISH IN INSANE ASYLUM DISASTER

Kills Wife, Children And Then Himself

NEW PARIS, OHIO, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Symptomatic neighbors and fraternal organizations today are making arrangements for the funeral of the victims of Saturday night's tragedy, and caring for the three remaining children of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Langley, of this place.

Seized with an insane impulse, following worry from loss of sleep due to insomnia and financial worries, Wilson Langley, 43, shot and killed his wife, Jessie Madock Langley, 35, his baby, son Howard, Charles Langley, aged 3, shot and fatally wounded his daughter Marjorie, 10, and then shot and killed himself, some time Saturday night or early Sunday morning. Marjorie died at 5:00 o'clock this morning in a hospital at Richmond, Ind., where she had been removed yesterday.

The tragedy was discovered Sunday morning by Oscar Langley, 13, who, on coming down stairs, found his sister Marjorie lying in a pool of blood upon an improvised cot, but still alive. The bodies of his mother, father and baby brother were lying on a couch, each shot behind the ear. A .22 calibre revolver was found in the room.

Oscar said his father had assisted him and the two other children to bed about 8:00 o'clock Saturday night and then returned to the lower floor. He said he did not hear any shots during the night.

Police express the opinion that Langley had intended killing the entire family, but weakened when he found Marjorie still alive, and then turned the revolver upon himself.

Marie, 7, Horace, 14, and Oscar are being cared for by neighbors.

Riding Whip Symbol Of French Kultur, Thinks German Populace

(By Carl D. Groat)
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ESSEN, February 19.—(By the United Press)—"The riding whip is the symbol of French Kultur," reads a Socialist poster on a wall in an Essen street.

It expresses as well as anything else, the bitterness pent up to the bursting point with which citizens of the Ruhr regard the invasion.

It is believed that the French are trying to stir up trouble and provide for an excuse for a declaration of the sharpest martial law.

An auto trip through an extensive section of the Ruhr, shows that if this is the French purpose they will be accommodated.

The population is humming a hymn of hate through gritted teeth, despite utmost efforts of government chiefs, labor leaders and others to maintain order.

The Socialist poster referred to warns the populace to avoid provoking the French, adding that venting of feelings will only "conjure up immeasurable harm to our cause."

The French are extremely nervous.

They are rough on individuals.

I had an opportunity to see this at Gelsenkirchen which is overrun with soldiers, a shrunken state of siege prevailing.

Many companies of infantry and cavalry supported by tanks, are encamped there.

Besides the regular troops of occupation reinforcements have been

poored into the town to enforce the collection of the hundred million marks line which the authorities have sworn not to pay voluntarily, but which the French eventually confiscated.

Upon arrival at Gelsenkirchen, a French sentry about 100 yards ahead down the road, gave the customary signal and my driver slowed down. The car skidded on the icy road and did not halt just where the sentry ordered, whereupon the sentry cursed, cocked his rifle and jabbed a long thin bayonet threateningly at the chauffeur.

The driver was scared out of his wits, and a sedate British correspondent with me on the back seat, who came within the line of fire of the sentry's rifle, was shocked beyond measure.

Grumblingly the sentry summoned a corporal who after examining our papers allowed us to proceed.

The guard at first ignored our passes.

We were treated with scorn until the guard learned that our party consisted of Americans and British, whereupon they were all smiles.

The French are fearful that the citizenry is smuggling weapons. They search all packages.

While I was in the headquarters in a saloon at Gelsenkirchen, a couple of worried Germans were ordered in for examination. They were guilty of nothing more than carrying dirty linen to the laundry.

Arriving at Essen, I found the inhabitants living miserably.

A strong anti-French feeling is developing.

NURSE AND PHYSICIAN PERISH IN LAKE ERIE

PORT CLINTON, O., February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Searchers with grappling hooks late today located the automobile in which Dr. T. C. Greist, Put-In-Bay physician, and Miss Sylvia Schultz, of Toledo, a trained nurse, were going to the main land Saturday evening from the island. The automobile was located by means of all on the water. A close examination showed that the automobile had slid before breaking through the ice. An effort was being made this afternoon to raise the machine and recover the bodies.

Stirring Tales Of Heroic Rescue By Attendants, Inmates

MANY KILLED IN FIRES

NEW YORK, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Four negroes, a grandmother, daughter and two grandsons, perished in a Brooklyn tenement fire today, bringing to 31 the total of fire fatalities in Greater New York during the coldest week-end of the winter.

Twenty-five perished at the Manhattan State Hospital for the insane on Ward's Island.

A woman dropped dead from heart disease at a fire in her Bronx home.

A three-year-old child lost her life when a blaze swept a five story tenement upon the upper East Side. The charred body was found in a crib.

heroism in the face of death by fire with the roar of flames and the shrieks of flames mingling in a wild requiem were told today as Fire Commissioner Dremmen started his investigation of the holocaust on Ward's Island. Michael Campbell, Alexander Hill and Charles F. Corey, who rescued scores of lunatics as the flames swept the Manhattan state hospital for the insane, are the living heroes of the tragedy. They were required by Dremmen to tell their stories of what happened. An unnamed man, veteran of the World War, is another hero who survived. Those who perished were George A. Demo, Patrick Gilligan and George Heiss, attendants who gave their lives in the effort to save the mad men in their charge. Twenty-two lunatics died. Nineteen bodies have been recovered and grim squads of soot-blackened workers were digging in the debris, hunting for six more. There were in addition a number of other men who performed deeds of valor as fire cracked in the wing of the mad house where homicidal and suicidal maniacs were confined. Fireman McDonalds chopped through a heavy door so the lunatics could escape into another ward.

Had Narrow Escape

As the door fell, the mad men leaped upon him and he had a desperate fight to save himself. The unnamed man, whose one passion was a lust to kill, temporarily became rational during the fire and helped many of his companions to get out through a window, enabling them to scurry. When the danger was passed, he leaped again into insanity. The three attendants who died, rushed into the flames again and again, down a veritable corridor of death, to carry on their work of rescue. One was found pinned in a doorway by a charred beam, his hand still clutching the shoulder of the man he was trying to save.

There are seven thousand lunatics on Ward Island. Scores of them were running loose during and after the fire. They mingled with the families of inmates who came to see them on visiting day, and remained to see whether their people had been saved. Attendants rounded these men up, one at a time and put them into one big room. Then an attempt was made to call the roll, but every name was greeted with a wild hub-bub of yells and screams.

Poles Invade Settlement

PARIS—Poles invade Lithuania and many are killed in battle, according to Kovno dispatch to Lithuanian legation in Paris.

Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES WEATHER MAN

That cold snap gave lots of folks a thrill just about the time they were figuring on making their hot supply hold out. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Light snows and warmer tonight. Tuesday cloudy and probably local snows in east and extreme north portion.

KENTUCKY—Unsettled and warmer. Tuesday partly cloudy. Somewhat warmer in west portion.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 34; low, 9.

Battling Million-Dollar Blaze



Freezing point temperature, causing streams of water to congeal in ice, mass on the walls of the burning structure seriously hampered the work of firemen when they battled the recent blaze which destroyed Omaha, Neb., packing plant of Armour and Company. Loss is believed to have been well over a million.

British Turn Over Railroad

COLOGNE, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—The British today turned over a six kilometer strip on the western end of their zone so as to give the French and Belgians complete control of the double track railroad line from Dusseldorf, a short stretch of which ran through the British area.

George To Visit King Victor

ROME, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—King George and Queen Mary will be the guests of King Emmanuel and Queen Helen at the quinquennial palace during their visit to Rome in the spring.

The British monarchs also will pay a visit to Pope Pius. They will be received at the Vatican with royal honors and Cardinal Gasparri, the papal secretary of state, will return their call.

Called To Door—Slain

CLEVELAND, O., February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Carl Metta, 34, until recently a government prohibition agent and who in his three years of federal service had made himself thoroughly feared by local illicit whiskey runners, was summoned to the door of his home at daylight this morning and shot to death, apparently by a bootlegger. Police believe. The assassin fired three shots, two through the head and one into the lung.

Metta quit the federal service last October, rather than accept a transfer to Toledo, because his family lived there. Since that time Metta has been a deputy marshal in enforcement of prohibition for D. J. Zinner, mayor of Fairview Village, a suburb, and police believe that the man who slew him was among those Metta had arrested recently in Zinner's service. The slayer escaped without leaving a clue.

Answering a knock at the door this morning Metta evidently recognized his caller for Mrs. Metta heard her husband ask: "Have you been 'pitched' again?" Then she heard a man enter her husband to "put" up four hands, and then the three shots and when Mrs. Metta reached the door her husband was dead.

Queen Elizabeth Enters Tomb

BRUXELLES—Queen Elizabeth, of Belgium, is among notable visitors who entered the tomb of the Egyptian King.

RAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

DE LAWD WILL PERVIDE, BUT HITS GINALLY IN DE ROUGH STATE!!!

BY DAVID LAWRENCE
(Copyright 1923 by The Portsmouth Daily Times)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—To many people in the United States, prohibition is a novelty, something new, something suddenly imposed.

But it isn't. The libraries are full of books, pamphlets, speeches, legal records of prosecutions and statistics all the way back to 1827. All kinds of prohibitory laws from local option to licensing of saloons and drug stores have been put on the statute books of the various states of the American union for nearly a century.

Both Sides Make Claims

You can talk to the leaders of both sides today and both groups will insist that before you make up your mind whether prohibition is a good thing or a bad thing, the experience of the past should be carefully examined. As for conclusions, the "wet" will argue that the record shows prohibition cannot be enforced and makes a gradual diminution in public respect for law and the wath of public officials.

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One Per Cent Food Drop

WASHINGTON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—The average family paid one per cent less for its food in January than in December, the department of labor announced today, adding however, that as compared with January, 1913, the level of prices represented an advance of 41 per cent, but that the increase from January 15, 1922, to the same date last month was only 2 per cent. Between December 15 and January 15, the figures showed, 15 articles of food increased in price, one per cent.

Fifty-seven cities reported declines in the average family expenditure for food during the period, seven experienced increases and one showed no change.

Fire Estimated Loss at \$100,000

TOLEDO—Fire starting from defective wiring in the Smith and Baker building, caused damage estimated at \$100,000.

CAPITOL JOKES

By Edward E. Browne
U. S. Representative From Wisconsin, Eighth District

SECTION

hand on a railroad had to make a report to the claims department on a cow that had been killed by a train.

He filled out the form provided in such cases with no difficulty until he came to the last line, which read: "Disposition of carcass."

He puzzled over this for a moment. Then his face lighted up, and he wrote: "Killed and gentle."

Warmer Weather Ahead

WASHINGTON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Rising temperatures throughout the territory east of the Rocky Mountains except in the extreme south, were reported today by the weather bureau, which predicted a further break in the cold snap during the next 24 hours in eastern and southern states.

The temperature early today was below freezing with killing frosts as far south as extreme northern Florida and the Alabama coast, while Central Florida reported light frost.

BRITISH HEIRESS AND NOBLEWOMAN IS TO WED FAMOUS JOCKEY

LONDON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—The morning newspapers announced today that Lady Ursula Grosvenor, daughter of the Duke of West Minister, is soon to marry the successful steeple chase jockey, Jack Anthony. Lady Ursula will be 21 years old on Wednesday, and with her becoming of age, she receives a fortune. She is an accomplished and fearless horsewoman.

If Jockey Anthony weds Lady Ursula Grosvenor he will marry into one of the richest families in England and probably its largest land owners. The Duke of Westminster possesses about thirty thousand acres of land in Cheshire and Flintshire and about 600 acres of property in London.

His family residence is Eton Hall in Cheshire, one of the largest country houses in the kingdom.

Lady Ursula is the duke's eldest daughter by his first marriage. Born in 1879, he married in 1901, Constance Edwins, daughter of the late Colonel Cornwallis West. The Duchess obtained an absolute divorce late in 1916 and about a year later the duke was married to Violet Mary Geraldine Rowley, daughter of Sir William Nelson.

The duke is a keen sportsman, patron of the turf, yachtman and polo player and is the owner of a celebrated art collection from which not long ago Henry E. Huntington purchased the famous Gainsborough "Blue Boy" and other notable paintings.

"Baby Mine"

FOLKS SAY I TAKE AFTER MAW—GEE I HOPE I GET OVER IT, I WANT TO RAISE A MOUSTACHE LIKE POP'S WHEN I GROW UP.

Harding Not To Name New

WASHINGTON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—President Harding was said by his friends today to have virtually decided not to appoint Senator Harry S. New, of Indiana, to a place in the cabinet.

Found Frozen To Death

NEW YORK—Miss Alice Davis, of Whitehall, N. Y., was found frozen to death with no coal in the house, her attempt to start fire with green wood having failed.

Boy Kills Self

STEUBENVILLE—Peter Delpher, 13, Amsterdam, shot and killed himself while showing a younger brother how he had seen a man handle a revolver in a movie.

Fellowship Of Prayer

Daily Lenten Bible reading and meditation prepared for Commission on Evangelism of Federal Council of Churches.

MONDAY
The Higher Law

"Is it lawful on the Sabbath Day to do good?" Mark 3:4.

Read Mark 3:1-4.

"He lifted himself above the most sacred institutions of his nation. He lifted himself above the Sabbath."

MEDITATION: Jesus was bound by but one law; the law of service, which is love in action. This is not a law of restraint, but of compulsion. He followed the Sabbath Day by deeds of love and mercy.

HYMN:

O Master, let me walk with thee, In lowly paths of service free, Tell me thy secret, help me hear The strain of love, the foot of care.

PRAYER: Most Holy and Most Gracious God, who turnest the shadow of the night into morning, satisfy us early with thy mercy, that we may rejoice and be glad all the day. Lift the light of thy countenance upon us; calm every troubled way of peace. Perfect thy strength in our weakness, and help us to worship thee; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Steps Against Proletarians

BERLIN—Berlin government takes drastic steps to stop increase in price of foods and cost of meats has already fallen in face of threats against proletarians.

New Order For Germans

DUESSELDORF, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—A new order issued by the international high commission in the Rhineland gives German customs officials in that territory until tomorrow to decide whether they will accept an offer of re-engagement by the French or be dismissed.

Stirring Tales Of Heroism

NEW YORK, February 19.—(By the United Press)—Stirring tales of

Lyric

Tonight
15c and 25c



WHAT YOU'LL SEE—

Wanda Hawley, "The Girl With the Million Dollar Smile," as the old girl of a chorus and as a famous movie star.
T. Roy Barnes, up to all his old tricks, as the breezy press agent of the show; and a flawless cast.
Scenes behind the scenes of a great moving picture studio.
The taking of a thriller in which the movie heroine plunges over a cliff and brings you breathless to your feet.
One of the best plots ever filmed—taken from Earl Derr Biggers' Saturday Evening Post story, "The Girl Who Paid Dividends."
The whole family will enjoy

WANDA HAWLEY IN "HER FACE VALUE"

Comedy
"Farm
Follies"

News
International

National Prohibition

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the inspiration of the best citizenry of the nation and that the varied forms of restriction imposed by the states did not always permit of real enforcement because the powers of the federal government was lacking and that everything which occurred before 1920 was only an argument for the need of an amendment of the federal constitution.
So the writer will concentrate not on the moot questions of the past but on the actual situation today, now that a liquor amendment is in the federal

constitution and an enforcement law is on the federal statute books. To get at the facts he sought the aid of both sides in the hope that the information obtained might enable the reader to form his own conclusions. For the object of this series is not to champion either the viewpoint of the extreme prohibitionist who doesn't even like to discuss the hypothetical circumstances under which light wines and beer might be made an exception to the constitution and law or the viewpoint of the "wet" who makes no distinction between one kind of intoxicant or another and says the whole thing is an invasion of the personal liberty of the individual who knows how to drink with moderation.
Must Obey The Dry Regulations
The question of prohibition enforcement itself, however, really doesn't have two sides to it. Even the National Association Opposed to Prohibition concedes that the Volstead law and the federal amendment should be obeyed as long as they are in effect. This association has its doubts whether the law can be enforced and their arguments will be set forth subsequently but the controversy over the repeal of the amendment is separate and distinct from the question of whether prohibition can really be made effective.
The first thing the prohibitionist draws to your attention is that before 1920, two-thirds of the United States was dry, that is dry laws were on the statute books of more than thirty states in which two-thirds of the American people lived. He will admit that enforcement in those states was not all that could have been desired but he will argue that prohibition can be made to work and that it has long since ceased to be a matter of public controversy in most of the original dry states.
It is important to remember this group of dry states because whenever the subject of modification comes up the prohibition advocate shrugs his shoulders and gives an impression of utter hopelessness—he says the original dry states are numerous enough to prevent change. However that

may be, it is interesting in getting one's bearings on the prohibition problem to go back to the report of the famous Committee of Fifty on which men like Charles W. Eliot, Seth Low, Dr. Felix Adler, Dr. Washington Gladden and others served from 1893 to 1897 and read this extract:
"Prohibition legislation has succeeded in abolishing and preventing the manufacture on a large scale of distilled and malt liquors within the areas covered by it. In districts where public sentiment has been strongly in its favor it has made it hard to obtain intoxicants, thereby removing temptation from the young and from persons disposed to alcoholic excesses. In pursuing its main object—which is to make the manufacture and sale of intoxicants, first, impossible, or, secondly, disreputable if possible—it has incidentally promoted the invention and adoption of many useful restrictions on the liquor traffic."
But prohibitory legislation has failed to exclude intoxicants completely even from districts where public sentiment has been favorable. In districts where public sentiment has been adverse or strongly divided, the traffic in alcoholic beverages has sometimes repressed or harassed, but never exterminated or rendered unprofitable. In Maine and Iowa, there have always been counties and municipalities in complete, successful rebellion against the law. The incident of revenue laws, and medicinal demand for alcohol and the freedom of interstate commerce have never been overcome. Prohibition has, of course failed to subdue the drinking passion, which will forever prompt resistance to all restrictive legislation.
"There have been concomitant evils of prohibitory legislation. The efforts to enforce it during forty years past have had some unlooked-for effects on public respect for courts, judicial procedure, ethics and law in general, and for officers of the law, legislators, and public servants. Of course there are disputed effects of efforts at prohibition. Whether it has or has not reduced the consumption of intoxicants and diminished drunkenness is a matter of opinion and opinions differ widely. No demonstration on these points has been reached, or is now attainable, after more than forty years of observation and experience."
That was twenty-five years ago. In what respects may a disinterested observer revise or affirm the statements then made?
One of the first questions I asked President Harding when we sat down to talk over prohibition was whether he believed we had reached in the last three years a climax in federal efforts to enforce prohibition or whether we were in the initial stages. He replied instantly that the fight had only begun and I told him of various estimates that had been made of the length of time that must elapse before a matured judgment could be given on the question of enforcement and the effects of prohibition. The President put his own estimate down at twenty years. Chief Justice Taft in a speech not long ago thought ten years would demonstrate the important fact to be borne in mind is that the public officials regard prohibition as a problem of a whole generation, and not a single administration. It's from that viewpoint the subject will be discussed in succeeding dispatches in this series.

Test Of Strength

LONDON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—The government today faces its first important trial of strength of the new session against the united opposition parties in the house of commons. The test is in the form of a joint amendment to the address and reply to the speech from the throne calling upon the League of Nations to appoint experts to examine into Germany's capacity to pay reparations and how payments can best be made.
The amendment declares "that in view of the recent indication of willingness on the part of the government of the United States to participate in a conference to this end, the British representative on the council of the League of Nations should be instructed to urge that an invitation be extended to the American government to appoint experts to serve upon this commission."
The amendment is to be pressed by opposition speakers and has the support of the labor party.
Doctor With a Sure Cure
"Doctor, can't you help my husband?"
"What's the matter with him?"
"Oh, he worries so."
"About what?"
"About the money. Can't you please do something for him?"
"I think I can. Send him to me; I'll relieve him of some of his trouble."—London Tit-Bits.

Fire Destroys Home; Babe Is Rescued From Flames

SPECIAL TO TIMES
VANCEBUR, Ky., Feb. 19.—The new 5-room frame residence of Okey L. Henderson, near Poplar Flat, Ky., was completely destroyed by fire yesterday. It was valued at about \$1700 and was a total loss. No insurance was carried and nothing was saved.
The fire started from a defective flue and was discovered by Corbit Harrison, the mail carrier.
When Harrison gave the alarm, Mrs. Henderson, who was the only member of the family at home, was sewing in the living room. The flames had already nearly enveloped the whole structure when the fire was discovered.
Mrs. Henderson was so thoroughly frightened when she ran out, that she could only gasp: "The baby! The baby!" and could not tell Harrison, who discovered the fire, in which room the infant was asleep.
But without waiting, he rushed into the smoke and flame-filled house and rescued the babe. He also saved two or three chairs and a feather-bed.

HAMDEN TEAM BREAKS EVEN

(Special to The Times.)
HAMDEN, Ohio, February 19.—The Bidwell boys' and girls' basketball teams arrived here Friday evening to combat with the Hamden boys' and girls' teams at the school auditorium. The first contest between the girls resulted in a victory for the Bidwell team by the close score of 2 to 1. Miss Walters making a field goal in the third quarter, and Miss Swanson made a foul in the fourth quarter. The Hamden girls made a field goal but was not counted on account of hitting the ceiling before going in the basket.
The boys' game was much faster. The Bidwell boys took the lead, the first quarter ending with Hamden on the short end, 4 to 2. Hamden got busy in the second quarter and led at the end, 12 to 5. The Harris-Womeldorf combination was too fast for the Galia county boys. Harris shooting 6 goals and Womeldorf 4.
Girls lined up as follows:
Bidwell L.F. Swanson
Hamden L.F. Womeldorf
Watts L.F. Morris
Moore R.F. Scott
McBride R.G. Arnett
Walters L.G. Sunnafrank
Subs: Marjory Bigger for Watts; Ramsey for Sunnafrank.
Boys lined up as follows:
Bidwell R.F. Harris
Morris L.F. Womeldorf
Beaver L.F. Smiley
Hayes R.F. Skinner
Russell L.F. Craig
Goals: Morris 1, Thaxton 1, Hardway 1, Fouls: Hardway 1.
Goals: Harris 6, Womeldorf 4, Craig 2, Smiley 1.
Sub: Harway for Thaxton.
Referee: Morris.
Among the out of town people to witness the game were: Miss Madec Clark, Miss Margaret Blazer and Mr. Dale Furst, of Bidwell; Messrs. Harold Leach, Rex Stroth, Francis Glynn, James Minard, Robert Pierce, Ray Welch and Howard Lockard of Wellston.

Printers, Meeting Here In April, To Have Headquarters At The Washington

That the committee on arrangements for the big conference of the Ohio Typographical Union, to be held with the Portsmouth printers on April 7 and 8, are right on the job, is shown by the fact that they have completed arrangements whereby the Washington Hotel will be headquarters and also the meeting place for the delegates, as well as serving the big Sunday dinner and buffet lunch on Saturday.
Alan N. Jordan, proprietor of the Washington, has told the printers that they would have complete control of the place for the two days, and would be entertained in the style to which they had been accustomed. Insofar as eats and other accommodations are concerned, in fact, the menu for the Sunday dinner contains fried chicken, oyster cocktail, and all the fine things so dear the typos stomach, and we fear to mention the rest of the menu lest a few local typos neglect to go to the menu for about ten days previous to the conference.
But more appealing is the other good things arranged. There will be worth while music, speeches from fellows who know how to make 'em, and Brother Vic Donaher, present state executive, will be one of the honor guests invited. The printers mean to have one of the biggest and best conferences in many years, judging by the interest they are taking.
Then the good fellowship between the employees and the employers is shown from the fact that all employers are to be invited, and at least one, The Portsmouth Publishing Co., have asked that they may have a part in helping to entertain the delegates who will be here. They will likely be the host at the get-together meeting Saturday evening, but this program is subject to change.

Ice Skates

All Prices
All Sizes
FLOOD, DRUGS
East End

FIRE BREAKS OUT IN OAK HILL SCHOOL. PUPILS MARCH OUT IN PERFECT ORDER

SPECIAL TO TIMES
OAK HILL, Feb. 19.—Considerable excitement resulted when smoke and flames were discovered coming through the floor of the primary room in the South school building here.
An alarm was given and in a few moments the children had all fled safely out. The fire was caused by the overheated pipes leading from the furnace room igniting the laths and joists under the room located on the east side of the building. Miss Emily Shaffer is the primary teacher and it was through her cool headedness and presence of mind that a panic was avoided. Fifty-five pupils were present in the primary department when the fire broke out. By the use of the school fire extinguishers, the flames were soon put out.

President Of Rhenish Prussia Expelled By French Officials

DEESSELDORF, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—The expulsion of Dr. Greutner, president of Rhenish-Prussia, for writing an "impertinent" letter to General Heusslein, Belgian commander at Duisburg, removes from the occupied area a prominent German official and has caused something of a stir among the civilian population. The letter then resulted in the arrest of Dr. Greutner and was in protest against the imprisonment of Ober-Burgomaster Jarrez, of Duisburg. Dr. Greutner in this communication is said to have referred to the forces of occupation as "bandits". Gelsenkirchen's fine of 100,000,000 marks assessed upon the town as a penalty for the shooting of two French soldiers, has been paid out of the 110,000,000 paper marks which the French seized when they took over the railroad station and the bathhouse. The French also seized 200,000,000 marks in Trier. It is believed that this money was to have been used for the benefit of the striking railroad men. The French will turn it to their own railroad operation.

Fresh Attacks By Poles

WARSAW, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Fresh attacks by the Lithuanians on Polish forces in the neutral zone allotted to Poland are reported here today. It is also said that the class of 1922 has been mobilized in Lithuania.

Dispatches last night from both Polish and Lithuanian sources reported collisions between forces of the two countries. The Lithuanian legion in Paris made public a despatch from Kovno asserting that Polish forces had invaded Lithuania after occupying the neutral zone, and attacked the Lithuanian troops with heavy casualties. The message added that the Lithuanian government had reported the facts to the League of Nations requesting that steps be taken to prevent an extension of the conflict. A Warsaw message declares that Polish troops assigned to occupy Poland's part of the neutral zone, had been opposed by Lithuanian troops, including regular forces.

Both Sides Fight

PARIS, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Meager details of the occupation of the neutral zone between Poland and Lithuania, received in official circles in Paris, indicate there has been action on both sides. Dispatches from Polish sources to the foreign office say that as soon as the Poles completed the occupation of that part of the zone awarded them by the League of Nations the Lithuanians began firing upon the points occupied.
It also was said that the Polish frontier guards and officials needed for the administration of the region were accompanied by troops of all arms contrary to the decision of the league council, which allowing the claimants of each to administer a part of the zone intended the zone to be neutral so far as military operations were concerned.



"The Third Alarm" is scheduled for its initial exhibition at the Eastland theatre on Monday. That the fireman is a vital factor in the welfare of any community is brought out with smashing dramatic power in "The Third Alarm." It shows not only how diligently he serves but it also depicts in thrilling scenes dangers he confronts, the perils he faces uncomplainingly in the daily pursuit of his duties.
"The Third Alarm" unfolds a story that is right down to the level of the average American citizen and the members of his family. Its producer, Mr. Emory Johnson, has told the whole truth about the fireman just as he told the truth about the policeman in his epic photoplay "In the Name of the Law." Believing that the nation owed a just debt not only to the fire fighters of the big cities but to those of the smaller communities as well Mr. Johnson has created "The Third Alarm" as a means of paying this debt of gratitude to the men who risk their lives day in and day out that our property may be safe-guarded.

Try This If You Are Weak and Nervous

Get what you want. Sleep with peace and tranquility. Regain your lost vigor and nerve force. Bitro-Phosphate is prepared to give you added strength and to make you well. Obtainable at every good drug store. Strictly guaranteed. — Advertisement.

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Will keep out dirt and dust. Keeps cold air from passing around windows and doors. Keeps windows from rattling, makes them operate easily. Guaranteed for life of building. Estimate can be secured by calling Phone 2563.

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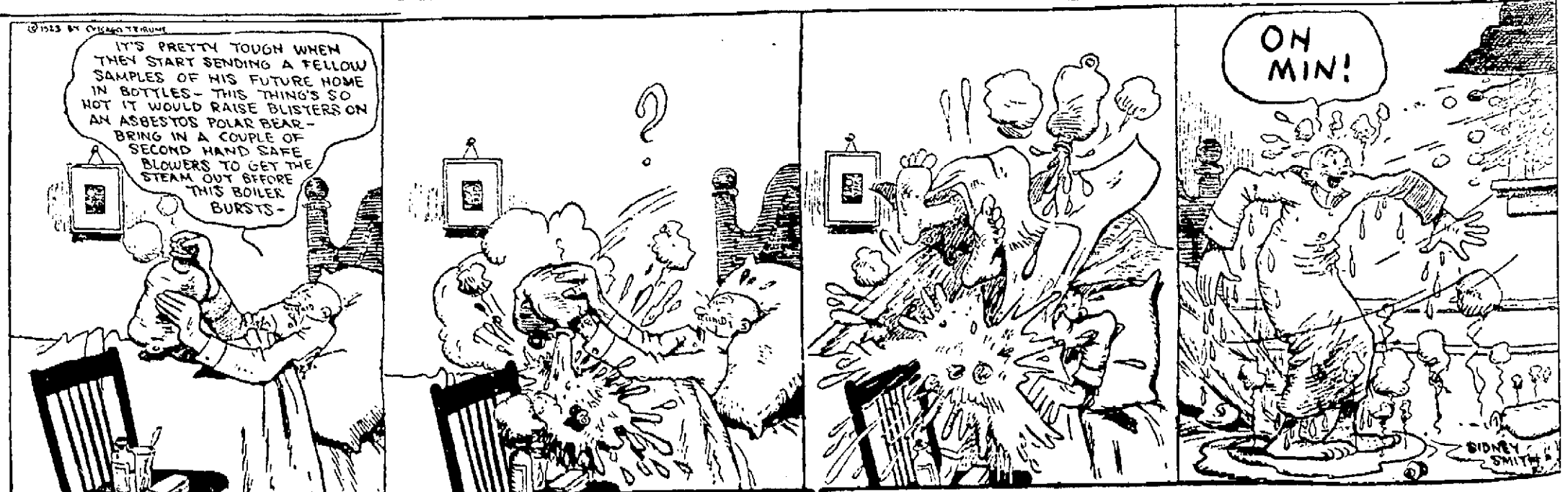
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City-Wide Revival Opens Thursday

The four weeks' revival meetings for which a score of committees made up of representatives of the various churches, co-operating in the movement, have been busy for several weeks, will begin on next Thursday night at 7 o'clock in the new Universal Garage, Gallia street. Evangelist George Wood Anderson will deliver some forceful sermons and no doubt to large audiences.

The preliminary plans have been well carried out and with the exception of the seating arrangements work on which will be concluded in time for the chorus rehearsal Wednesday night, all is in readiness for the formal opening. Officers of the executive committee in charge include John T. Droege, general chairman; Rev. Charles E. Chandler, vice chairman; Gilbert P. Dods, secretary, and Frank E. Kiefer, treasurer.

The first afternoon meeting will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30. All meetings will be held in the Universal garage.

Rev. Anderson will be assisted by Boutley D. Achley, noted gospel song pianist, and Walter R. Jenkins, chorister. Mr. Jenkins has a very pleasing baritone voice.

Rev. Anderson is well known to many people in Portsmouth. Those familiar with his work commend most highly his methods and manner of presenting the gospel.

To Discuss Plans

Mrs. Rosa E. Ward, secretary of the Seoto County Sunday School association, has received word that a big meeting of Sunday school workers will be held in Columbus, March 8 and 9, when Hugh S. Magill, L. L. D., of Chicago, general secretary of The International Sunday School Council of Religious Education and successor to Marion Lawrence will be present along with Mrs. Maud Junkin Baldwin of Chicago, International Children's division superintendent. Plans for the future program of Ohio in religious work will be discussed at this meeting. All Sunday school workers are invited to hear Dr. Magill.

Damage Slight

An overheated gas pipe is thought to have caused a slight fire in the home of H. M. Baker, on Sunrise avenue about 4:30 a. m. Sunday. The hot pipe set fire to a sub-floor under the living room grate. Smoke awakened members of the family and Mr. Baker extinguished the fire with a stream from a garden hose. Firemen from two engine houses responded to an alarm. The damage is slight.

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SOCIETY

All members of the Community chorals are urged to be present at the meeting this evening at seven o'clock in the basement of the library. Those who have not reported on their tickets for the concert given recently are requested to do so at this meeting.

Prof. Elmer Ende will give the third of the series of illustrated lectures Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles L. Spencer, 1907 Franklin avenue. An attractive musical program will also be rendered in connection with the lecture and all members of the Ladies' Musical are urged to attend. New members will also be welcome.

Mrs. Clifford A. Reinhard of 1806 Summit street is recovering from an attack of grip.

Mrs. L. D. Artis will entertain the members of the Pleasant Hour club Wednesday afternoon at her home, 1224 Odessa street.

Mrs. Margaret Kramer, formerly a well known nurse of this city, has given up nursing and entered college in Chicago, where she will take up special work. Miss Kramer spent the past year in the East and was engaged in the practice of her profession for a time in New Jersey.

Mrs. W. H. McCutty's Sunday School Class of Trinity Church will hold their regular monthly business meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. F. Ashenburt, 1832 High Street. The assistant hostesses will be Mrs. George Erwin, Mrs. W. G. Corwin, Mrs. George Reumler, Mrs. J. W. Chick, Mrs. Henry Craunston and Mrs. T. J. Coe.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Manly Church will meet Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. George Mooney of Vinton Avenue. The assistant hostesses for the occasion will be Mrs. J. G. Manning, Mrs. James Hemphill, Mrs. B. F. Stewart, Mrs. Green Neary, Mrs. W. E. Perkins, Mrs. W. S. Smith and Mrs. R. V. Stewart. All members are urged to be present.

The Loyal Helpers' Class of the First Christian church will hold a meeting this evening at the home of Mrs. James Nelson, 1037 Thirteenth street. All members are urged to be present.

A second performance of "The Minister's Wife's New Bonnet" will be given in the basement of the Manly church tomorrow evening. An added feature of the entertainment will be selections by the Orpheus Quartet. This entertainment was given last Thursday evening and proved to be such a wonderful success, that it was decided to repeat it tomorrow evening. The program will begin promptly at 7:45 o'clock.

Mrs. Melvin Guttill, of Boston, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Elmore Oakes, 505 Court street.

Mrs. Joseph Ortmeier of Seoto-ville returned home Saturday evening from Detroit, Mich., where she was called by the illness of her brother, Mr. Bernard Ortmeier, who is now on the road to recovery.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Bigelow church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:15 o'clock at the church. A full attendance is urged.

Manly Church News

Kappa Sigma Pi meeting Monday evening at 7:30. Important business and entertainment. The presence of every member is needed.

The Queen Mothers and Standard Bearers will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Katherine Blazer on Tuesday evening. Every member requested to be present.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Geo. Mooney, 2234 Vinton avenue Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Assisting hostesses are Mrs. J. G. Manning, Mrs. W. S. Smith, Mrs. James Hemphill, Mrs. B. F. Stewart, Mrs. Green Neary, Mrs. W. E. Perkins and Mrs. R. V. Stewart. A good attendance is desired.

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Mrs. Schulte Dies

Special To Times
VANCEBURG, Ky., Feb. 19.—Mrs. Sarah Schulte aged 82 died at the home of her son-in-law Albert Frizzell, one mile east of here Friday, Feb. 16.

Besides her daughter Mrs. Albert Frizzell, she leaves the following grand children, who attended the funeral: Mrs. Wm. Irvin of Vanceburg, Mrs. Nellie Adams of Dayton, Ky., Miss Laurena Cottingham of Dayton, Ky., Clyde Cottingham of Vanceburg, Eugene Frizzell of New York, and Virgil Frizzell of Texas and Mrs. Mary Tinsley and Georgia Frizzell of Vanceburg.

The funeral services were at 2 p. m. Sunday from the Christian church, Rev. Anderson officiating. Interment in Clarksburg cemetery.

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Oak Hill Woman Burns To Death; Fire Wipes Out Home

Special To Times
OAK HILL, Feb. 19.—Mrs. John Snyder was burned to death and her home near here destroyed by fire.

The fire occurred near the supper hour, and was caused by the victim's dress catching fire from an open grate.

Mrs. Snyder had stepped from in front of the grate fire to a window to look for her husband, when one of

the children noticed her dress afire. She ran to another room for a bed cover to try to extinguish the flames but was unable to do so, and she was so badly burned that her death resulted a short time later.

How the house caught fire is not exactly known, but it is thought it probably resulted when the burning woman ran from one room to the other.

When discovered the flames had gained considerable headway, and owing to a high wind and lack of first fighting facilities it was soon beyond control. Mrs. Snyder leaves to mourn her death her bereaved husband, four children, ranging in age from 8 to 18 years, several brothers and sisters among them Joe and Charlie Crabtree and Mrs. Charles Leonard of Route No. 2.

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Marion Davies, as Princess Mary Tudor, in "When Knighthood Was in Flower" Cosmopolitan's splendid production for Paramount of Charles Major's romance of Merrie England in the days of Bluff King Hal, which comes to the Columbia Theatre for one week, starting today, has an entrance befitting her title and estate. The sister of King Henry VIII has just reached her sixteenth birthday, and a fête in her honor is given at Hampton Court, the palace built by Cardinal Wolsey, and presented to the King. This is one of the show places of England preserved to this day.

Scene Filmed at Ladder Rock
This scene was filmed at Ladder Rock, near Bridgeport, Conn., where this beautiful estate is open to the public as a park, but the owner closed it on this occasion so that the Cosmopolitan Company could work undisturbed. The only request made was that the state lurge of Princess Mary should be left on the little river, where the children who visit the park daily could enjoy it as an object lesson in English history. The lurge was built at Bridgeport at a cost of several thousand dollars.

Precedent Is Established
Cosmopolitan has established a precedent by bringing on the star in the very first scene of a feature picture, but Cleopatra had nothing on Princess Mary when it comes to a spectacular entrance in her state barge. On the historic terrace of Hampton Court are grouped all the principal characters of the English part of the story, and "When Knighthood Was in Flower" starts action with the very first flash on the screen.

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(Continued From Our Last Issue)

He swung in a wide arc toward the Blind Trail Hills, but left them behind and pushed north again—there was no ranch between Paradise and the cliffs. It was a far cry that way, however, and he would likely meet the men from the two outfits that lay farther north yet—for this vast net was perfect. When he had known it would be. When he had not known, was this—that it had been warned and almost wholly set to its pattern hours before the

fires were lighted. Now, in some flash of that illuminating seventh sense that had saved his skin so many times before, he knew that the die was cast—that he had played his last great game and failed. So he laid the rein on his horse's neck—that same and splendid runner on whom he had always said he would "stake a bet," and rode for the one thing dearer to him than life or anything on this earth—the untarnished face of his wife.

Rode from east to west inside the net, directly across the path of the riders from the north.

The cottonwoods in the patio cast long black shadows on the ranch-house wall. Paradise was still as death.

Belle in her deep chamber did not hear the sound of muffled feet that struck the flags by the spring. They were, alas! slow feet and stumbling, for poor lightning had run as he had never run before—had covered killing miles at a killing pace, had shown that "something-by-ordinary" in him of which his master had sometimes spoken. Now he stumbled in beside the spring and stopped with his head hanging and the breath whistling in his sides.

The man in his saddle flung off his back and entered with a soundless step the darkened house. On the sill he stopped and cast one proud high look at the patio, sharp in its light and shadow, at the sweeping fields below, at the corrals and all the buildings lying so peacefully in the silent night.

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"The best in its line," he muttered under his breath, "the best in its line—always."

A moment later Belle Hannon stirred in her sleep and said softly, "John."

The man who stood beside the bed reached down and touched her gently.

"Belle—sweetheart," he said, "I'm here."

Instantly she was awake, was up and clinging to him, her arms about his neck, her lips against his face. Little fluttering laughter was in her broken words, she quivered with the sudden ecstasy of his living presence.

"Home again!" she cried softly, "Oh, John! My man!"

John Hannon sat down on the bed's edge and drew her close upon his heart, smoothing the soft hair from her temples. He reached and drew a curtain, letting in a flood of the moonlight that he might the better see her face.

"Belle darling," he said, "do you love me?"

The woman laughed. "Love you? I think I adore you, John—the best husband, the noblest man I ever knew. Yes," she added soberly, "may God forgive me, I think it's more than love."

"Have I made you happy, little woman? Always?"

"Always, my beloved. But why this serious talk?—and just at your return when we are always so foolishly happy?"

"I have a desire to know," he said, "then know—that never a man in this world but you could have made heaven on earth for a blind woman—would have been the heart and soul of honor in all his dealings with her. Would have been so patient, so tender, so kind and without so true. Oh, John, you are—next to God to me."

John Hannon looked one arm from about her, drawing her nearer with the other, and his fingers slipped softly to the gun hanging at his hip.

"Now let me confess," he said lightly, "come in with the responses in this here litany we're saying. You have been, an' are, th' only star in my sky, th' light of my universe. I love you better than anything I possess—lands, money, horses or our one child. Better than all. Are you happy?"

"Happy?" murmured Belle. "Ah! Happy!"

The man bent his head above her, put his lips to hers in one long kiss. The hand came up from the holster, the blue gun with it. Both were steady as a rock. The wondrous courage that had marked the Black Ruster on the border met its greatest test and did not flinch.

Slowly, carefully, the muzzle rose, picking its way more surely than ever before. There must be no bungle here, no slightest slip. Lich by lich it crept along Belle Hannon's throat, her fair cheek—reached her white temple and halted, just opposite the spot where the soft curls lay. The dark eyes of the man burned on her face in one long yearning look.

And then Val Hannon, dull in her trance of anguish, heard a shot that boomed in the silent house most monstrously—another that followed on its heels. She passed a hand across her eyes, shook herself as if to clear the shadows from her brain.

Then she seemed to come out of her own abandonment of suffering with a jerk, to gather her own keen wits. Almost instantly she was John Hannon's daughter, strong, alert, ready, though she trembled with forboding as she passed through the shadowed house toward her mother's room. In the living-room she met Fanita, half-clad and frightened, coming from the servants' quarters.

At the threshold of that closed room Val stopped, sick to her soul with fear. Then she raised a resolute hand and struck the panels.

"Belle!" she called clearly, "Belle dear!"

There was no sound and again she called. Still that awful silence. Val Hannon, as her father would have done, opened the door and entered.

In the bright square of moonlight from the window John Hannon lay with his wife upon his breast, still with majestic peace—and his gun lay smoking in his loosened hand, clutched on his face there stood out, stark in the moon-glow, a broad black velvet mask!

Val stood in the doorway looking down and the heart in her breast was stopped. When it labored on again she relaxed her hold on the lintel and slid weakly down along the wall. The room and its ghastly wreck was whirling.

She saw her mother's smiling face the temple beneath the curls. She saw her father's unmoved iron-gray head, which there was no mistaking. She saw the revolver and the mask.

And then Val Hannon knew. The Black Ruster! Ah! The Boss of Paradise! The net—and the signals!

How long she sat crouched by the doorway she did not know. She heard Fanita crying and the feet of women running, knew that dark terror-stricken faces filled the door behind her. And she knew that those two in the square of moonlight were dead—gone together into that vast unknown which waits the human soul.

Gone—her dad whose pride and power in the rangeland were unbounded—her mother with her high spirit and her splendid faith. Gone—the love, and the pride, and the power! But—gone together, these two who had loved so grandly, and who must still love!

She heard the voices of the women talking in high hysteria—a horse's hoofs sharp on the stones outside—and Fanita speaking in her ear.

"Oh, senorita," it was begging, "come quick to the patio! There is one who rides with news and who will not be deceived! Come, Senorita Val!"

Dully the girl drew herself up along the doorstep, closed the door upon the room. News? What mattered news? But from force of habit she, who had always answered all comers to Paradise in the master's absence, went stupidly out with Fanita's arms about her to guide her steps.

In the white light there stood a stranger. Or, hold—not quite a stranger. It was that slim boy whom Velantrie had brought, a long day back, to Father Hillaire at Refugio-Mesos Pecuento.

He stood holding dripping horse and his breath came fast.

"Senorita," he said, speaking swiftly in Spanish, "I come because Maria wept and would not cease. She says that one you love rides into a trap of death, set to catch another. That Father Hillaire gave him comfort for the end in the Mission—was giving it when I left—for Maria, watching, did not wait for the finish. She sends you word that this—one—covers his face with a bit of black from the padre's torn cassock—and rides a horse—a great red horse—like one you know—into the trap by the Blind Trail Pass—to save your heart from hurt. But Maria says that you—know love—and that the horses of Paradise are fleet. That only you can save him—from the fier is—"

"Stop!" cried Val, white-lipped, "I know!"

She stood swaying uncertainly, while the full import of the tumbling speech sank into her mind and heart.

One—Velantrie—rode—to the trap by the Blind Trail Pass—knowing—He rode a great red horse—such as that dim tradition of the Border ascribed to the Black Ruster—its damning double. He covered his face with a bit of the padre's cassock—Ah, what friends! What lovers, these two—the bandit and the priest!

That relentless net, drawing in, would catch him—and the rest was sure.

Those two in the moon-lighted room—they might sleep at Paradise forever, secure in their honor and their fame! Her name and her father's would be forever clear—at the price of one bandit's life, one old priest's silence!

But she was her mother's daughter and never for one moment did she think of these things, save to make clearer the great light that was breaking. She shook her whole young body and tightened her nerves to action.

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

To Enjoy Smoker

The members of James Dicker Post, American Legion, will enjoy their first monthly smoker Thursday night, March first. These smokers are to be features of all future monthly sessions.

Seriously Ill

Denver Lawson, high school student, is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home, 1305 Mound street.

W. H. Ruggles Dies

YANCEBURG, Ky., Feb. 19.—Wm. Henry Ruggles, aged 80, died at his home in Black Oak, Friday at 2 p. m.

The funeral was held from the family residence at 10 a. m. Sunday, Rev. W. F. Watt of the M. E. church South, officiating. Interment in the Black Oak cemetery.

The following relatives arrived to attend the funeral: Rochester and James Ruggles from Louisville, Ky., and Floyd Ruggles, his three sons, and Geo. Greenert, a son-in-law from Corlington, Ky.

To Buy Goods

Henry Roth is in Cincinnati, where he will buy goods for his new and well equipped sporting goods shop on Sixth street.

Seriously Ill

Mrs. D. A. Long is seriously ill with heart trouble at her home on Front street.



High upon the balcony she stood, a grim spectre outlined by the searchlight against the flaming, smoking walls! Down in the teeming street, a riot of panic and disorder, stood the father, struck to the heart by terror as he saw the smoke engulf his daughter and blot her completely from view. Then the thrilling rescue!

That, briefly, is but one of the terrific action situations in the great fireman's melodrama, "The Third Alarm," which opens an engagement Monday at the Eastland Theatre, where it will be officially dedicated to Chief Robert Leedom of the local Fire Department and the brave and loyal men of his command.

"The Third Alarm" is a companion picture to "In the Name of the Law," a police drama of unusual proportions which is still entertaining millions of theatregoers throughout the world. It is built on the same huge lines but with far more thrilling action than was developed in the production which immortalized the American policeman.

While "The Third Alarm" has been invested with truly magnificent love interest and stupendous dramatic thrills, it also shows what hazards the fireman confronts, how he struggles manfully to support his family, how he goes to his duty, no matter how great the danger, and how, in the end, the public is all too likely to forget what a fine and noble work the fire-fighter has achieved. At no time does Mr. Johnson become preachy. "The Third Alarm" is first of all entertainment, but in the development of his homey theme, Mr. Johnson has gone far beyond the mere individuals with whom he has told his story and shows the noble and unselfish instincts which actuate the average fireman in the pursuit of his duty.

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The Seventh Guest Full Of Thrills

Like "The Bat" and "The Cat and The Canary," the "Seventh Guest," which opens a three days' run at the Sun Theatre tonight, is composed of hair-raising thrills, a wealth of excellent comedy, and a big, gripping love story. It starts with a party of young people who have gone to a haunted house for the purpose of organizing an order that will prove to the world that there are no such things as ghosts and spirits. They have not been in the building fifteen minutes before things begin to happen and the first they know all of them are convinced that there are ghosts and that most of them are in the house with them.

To tell the story of "The Seventh Guest" would destroy the mystery and, therefore, half of the pleasure of witnessing the play. Be it said: therefore, merely that for three acts, filled to overflowing with romance, drama and comedy, the mystery runs riot and is not solved until just before the drop of the final curtain. Three men have rehearsed daily with the players to work the effects that are used in "The Seventh Guest" and all is in readiness for tonight's first showing of this thriller to a Portsmouth audience. A bargain matinee is given tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. Nights at 8:15.

Seated Sale For "The Storm." Opens Tomorrow

Tickets for the super-production of "The Storm" to be produced by the Jack Ball Stock Co. for the entire week of February 20th, with matinees Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, will go on sale tomorrow morning.

Shipped To Youngstown

A. E. Anson, who attended the Automobile Show here, left Monday for Youngstown, where he will exhibit the Pike's Peak motor in the Chandler machine.

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G. E. Wright, of Second street, is very ill with rheumatism.



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Dear Dolly—Did you go to the Auto Show? Yes—so did I, and I must say that it was a great show, a great place to have it and a great thing for Portsmouth and the auto dealers. But, oh, what a greater show it would have been if the machines had been arranged so that the people could have seen them—stood back and sized them up and compared them. The crowds were so great that no one could see the machines. People would gather in groups in front of their favorite car and no one else could see it. I'll wager that there wasn't a person who visited that show who got a good look at all the cars on exhibition. I spent about an hour in there and only got a good look at a couple of cars and they were ones that I was thoroughly acquainted with and did not need to look at. I could locate every screw in them on a dark middle so that the people could have been arranged on either side—and the ends, with an aisle through the middle so that the people could have walked through and taken a good look at all the machines. Then if they came to one they were especially interested in they could have stepped inside the ropes, or whatever was used for an aisle, and give it the once over, and also have had the dealer tell 'em all about it. I don't feel that the dealers got a fair show for their money.

ONE OF THE CROWD.
I move that the Automobile Club appoint you a member of the committee on arrangements for the next show.

Dear Dolly—I am a widow with two children, and I have been living with relatives, and I got dissatisfied, and moved into a home of my own so myself and children could live in peace and do as we please. Now, Dolly, I am planning to take in boarders to help make a living. Do you think that would be all right?

BROWN EYES.
It will be all right if you do it all right. Being a young widow with small children, you will have to confine your boarders to married couples or girls and women. You cannot keep men, and keep your good name, too, unless you have some older people in the house with you.

Dear Miss Wise—I have been going with a boy for about two years and I love him dearly, and I think he loves me. Dolly, I have been taught to treat the boys nice and be kind to them, and this boy promised to come to my home and take me to church in the evening.

Dear Dolly—I am a girl of 22 and I have two married sisters who want to pick my future husband for me. I am going with a man I like real well, and my mother likes him, but my sisters want me to turn him down and go with a man they like. I think I am old enough to pick a man to suit myself, don't you? The man I am going with comes to see me three times a week. Is that often enough? I went with another man for about six months and he quit me because I rode to church with another man. Now he wants to come back. Should I let him come?

FRECKLES.
I think you should "pick" your own husband, of course, but I don't think the picking is ripe as yet. The fact that you are so uncertain, is a sure sign that you do not care enough for

either man to marry him. Your sisters are probably speaking from experience. They know men better than you do, and it might be a good idea to find out their objections to the man you are going with. They must know something about him, since they do not want you to marry him. However, I would advise you to wait awhile, and see what develops. In the meantime you can keep on the good side of all three men.

Wife Who Has Been Sick—Your letter was too long to print, but you have the right idea, and you expressed your sentiments in regard to the matter in the last two pages of your letter. I sure would give them a dose of their own medicine, and I would not let them run over me. You don't have to live like that, and you don't have to have a lot of quarrels—some people about you all the time. Clean up on them, and clean out the place and tell them not to come back until they learn how to behave themselves and treat you like you were a human being instead of a daughter-in-law or sister-in-law.

Times Reader, Not a Flirt—I don't think it would be advisable to print your letter, since this town is so small and there are so few of the places you mentioned, that readers of this department would know in a jiffy who you were talking about. I am sure you would not want to embarrass the person you have in mind. Perhaps you can think of some way; other than through this column to bring about the desired results.

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L. B.

Actress, Wanted Here On Theft Charge, Wins Sympathy Of Detectives With Story

The Cincinnati Commercial Tribune of local interest Sunday said: "An atmosphere of genuine sympathy pervaded the hearing of the actress yesterday when she was brought before the authorities on a charge of grand larceny."

She gave her name as Gertrude Young, 23 years old, living with her mother at 237 Pike street. Miss Young said that she was an actress who played with small shows and was known as Julia Story.

Miss Young said that about three weeks ago she and another young woman left their room in Portsmouth. They planned to leave the city a day or so later and the other young woman was to accompany her to Cincinnati. Miss Young said that when time came for their train to leave the other girl failed to appear and that she left by herself, taking the other woman's suitcase and clothing with her "because I did not want to leave them on the floor in the station and had no place else to put them."

Miss Young said that she had not heard from the other woman until yesterday, when Detective Genter and Gernhardt visited her home and placed her under arrest on the charge preferred by her former roommate. In opening the suitcase Miss Young took out one dress and displaying it said that it was one given to the other woman by her and declared she thought it is a very mean trick for a person to have another one arrested who has given her clothing and taken care of her clothing for her."

The complaint was filed by Mrs. Nellie Jensen of this city and the accused was brought here Monday to face a theft charge.

Balanow Under Bond

CHICAGO, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Completion of a deposition being taken here for presentation by the defense at the trial of 22 alleged communists at St. Joseph, Mich., March 5, appeared probable today with the cross examination of Allen O. Meyers, assistant general manager of the W. J. Burns' detective agency, questioning of whom was not concluded Saturday.

Albert Ballin, alias Balanow, confessed agent provocateur and former operative for private detective agencies, who preceded Meyers to the stand today was under bond of \$5,000 charged with criminal libel by Meyers. The accusation grew out of testimony by Balanow now that Meyers ordered him to write a letter threatening to blow up the Woolworth building and kill the New York postmaster.

Filing of other charges against Balanow was awaited today.

While Meyers was on the stand Saturday he related his activities for the Burns' agency, but declined to give details of a trip to Russia a year or so ago, saying he had been told to take that attitude by Attorney General Daugherty through W. J. Burns.

New Justice Takes Office

WASHINGTON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Associate Justice Edward T. Sanford, of Tennessee, took the judicial oath upon the reconvening of the supreme court today, after a three weeks' recess. He fills the bench for the first time since the present term of the supreme court began in October and makes likely the early consideration of a number of cases which have been put off due to vacancies.

It is expected that the original actions brought by the states of Ohio and Pennsylvania to prevent West Virginia from restricting the exportation of natural gas and the alien land cases from California and Washington to determine whether Japan can be prevented from owning or leasing land in those states will be set for argument shortly.

Hughes May Cancel Trip

WASHINGTON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—The possibility that Secretary Hughes will be able to make his proposed trip to attend the Pan-American conference next month at Santiago, Chile, is becoming more doubtful.

It was said today at the state department that while Mr. Hughes is still deferring a final decision as to whether it would be wise for him to leave the capital at this time, he feels it may prove impracticable to make the projected visit to South America, owing to the general European situation and pressure of other matters in his department.

To Hold Early Trial

SAN DIEGO, CAL., February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—The trial of Dr. Louis L. Jacobs, "Camp Keary" physician, held at the county jail on a charge of having murdered Fritz Mann, pretty local dancer, whose body was found on the Torrey Pines beach, January 15, will be held within the next six weeks, according to a statement made today by his attorney, James E. Wadham.

Pimples and Headaches?

Do you really enjoy them? Then why produce them by using the stomach with quinine when a pleasant, successful, time-proven, Ayer's Cataplasma for Colds, Gripes and all Coughs may be had at any good drug store—37

LAXA-PURIN

GPYSS SMITH OPENS BIG REVIVAL IN SCOTOVILLE; SERVICES AT 7:15

Large and appreciative audiences greeted the noted evangelist, Gypsy Smith at the opening services of his two weeks campaign at the Scotoville Methodist Episcopal church Sunday.

At the morning service he told how "the wild man possessed with demons as recorded in the scripture, became tame" at the word of Jesus Christ and because the first preacher of the gospel. While this was remarkable, things haven't changed much and God is still able to reclaim and reform and the unexpected things will happen. God has always chosen his workers from most unlikely places and the evangelist urged his hearers to look for possibilities.

In those around, to exercise faith and optimism.

Gypsy Smith's solos were a delight to all. He sings twice at every service many of his songs being his own composition. At the evening service he held the attention of his large audience telling the story of his conversion and illustrating his theme by stories. He showed that conviction was only a step and emphasized the importance of full surrender which may result in instantaneous conversion.

His closing solo was one of recent composition dedicated to his aged mother in England.

His subject tonight at 7:15 will be "Lessons from the School of Experience."

The After Effects of Colds and Influenza

There is real danger in the after effects of colds and influenza because these attacks leave their victims with a cough or in a weakened condition, wide open to the attacks of other illness.

You can build up your lowered resisting power by taking Father John's Medicine, the pure food elements of which strengthen and nourish the system. Father John's Medicine soothes and heals the lining of the breathing passages and being a real food medicine builds new strength and flesh without using dangerous drugs.—advertisement.

Sunday School Attendance

The extreme cold weather Sunday morning put a crimp in the Sabbath School attendance the total being below the 5000 mark for the first time this year. The total was a little over half of what it was a year ago, yesterday's total being 4822. First Christian was the only school in the 500 class. Second Presbyterian went ahead of Trinity when the second position school, registered only 396. Yesterday's record.

First Christian 517

Second Presbyterian 389

Trinity 366

First Presbyterian 320

Franklin Avenue M. E. 305

First Baptist 304

Manly 284

United Brethren 275
First Evangelical 270
Wheelersburg M. E. 216
Bigelow 203
Scotoville M. E. 185
Scotoville Christian 176
Grandview Ave. Christian 142
New Boston Christian 124
Central Presbyterian 109
Berean Baptist 102
Calvary Baptist 82
Navoo U. B. 80
Valley Chapel 66
Kendall Ave. Baptist 65
North Moreland U. B. 63
Long Run U. B. 42
Terminals M. E. 19

THE WEEK AT ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

Monday — Holy Communion — 9:00 A. M.

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Wednesday — Holy Communion — 7:00 A. M.

Litany and Address — 7:30 P. M.

Speaker — The Ven. J. H. Dodson

Subject — "My Visit To Professor Cone"

Thursday — Holy Communion — 9:00 A. M.

PROSPECTS BRIGHTER FOR THE PASSAGE OF SHIP BILL

OF SHIP BILL

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, February 19.—Prospects for the passage of the ship subsidy bill are better today than they have been in many weeks.

The legislative decks have been cleared for action in the Senate. The first real test of the strength of majority came on Friday night when a motion to adjourn was defeated 38 to 30 and the shipping bill was made the unfinished business of the calendar.

This means that with the British debt funding bill out of the way and practically all the important legislation of the session waiting in the House for action there, the only thing vital before the Senate is the shipping bill.

In the twelve legislative days that remain obstructive efforts will be made by those who want to keep the shipping bill tangled up in the jam of conference reports which arises always in the last two days of a session.

Senator Jones of Washington, Republican, chairman of the Senate committee in charge of the bill, is insisting on night sessions so as to wear out the opponents of the measure who want to talk it to death. His strategy will either force a vote or place the responsibility for a filibuster on the Senators who want to beat the bill. Thus far the Democrats have been unwilling to admit that they would filibuster against ship subsidy but there are some Republicans in the insurgent group who are sufficiently anxious to kill the measure as to conduct their own fight, aided and abetted by the Democrats. They feel that any tactics are justified to prevent passage of an undesirable law.

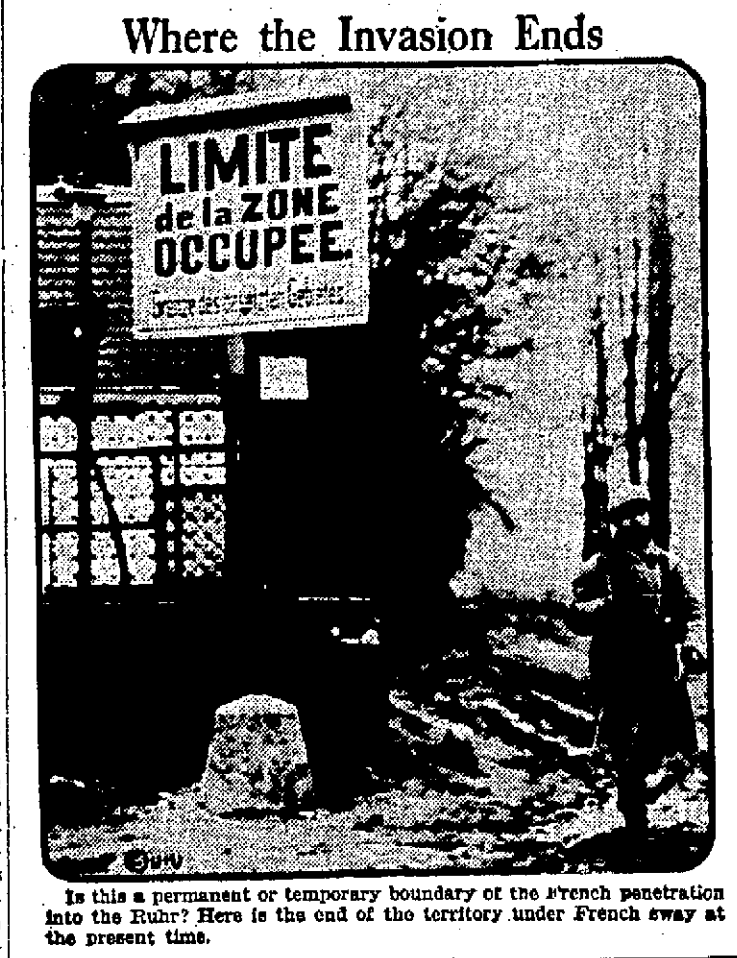
President Harding feels that in justice to the executive branch of the government, the ship subsidy ought either to be defeated outright or passed. He thinks if a minority can keep the measure from coming to a vote, it will be a proof that the majority doesn't rule in the American Congress and that the will of the people cannot be expressed through the majority.

In order to compel a vote even with night sessions, there must be a quorum on hand right along. The Republicans themselves must attend in order to help to wear out the filibusters. There are said to be six Democrats who will attend the sessions to keep a quorum though they are themselves opposed to the shipping bill. These men hold that filibustering is unwarranted and they will not be parties to it.

For a while it looked as if the Senate might suddenly get absorbed in the conference reports on the farm credit bills which were passed by the Senate and await action by the House. But the Leavitt-Anderson bill and the Capper bill are not yet out of the House banking and currency committee and the Chairman of the committee has suddenly been called away from Washington. The differences between the two bills are difficult to reconcile, in fact there is a well defined rumor that some of the people who originally asked for these farm credit bills would prefer that more time be taken to study the subject and that action on some of the pending proposals at least be deferred until the December session, it being of course, provided that the war finance corporation be authorized to continue its operations for another nine months.

Farm credits is an intricate subject and some of the farm leaders involved are said to believe that the proposed legislation was gotten up in too much haste. It will be a hard job working out a satisfactory measure between now and March 4, and the chances are that even if the bills are reported out of committee they will encounter opposition in the House itself. It will then become necessary for the administration to exert its influence in behalf of some compromise plan which is likely to be a temporary measure to provide for rural credits through the War Finance corporation for another nine months and work out the details of a new fiscal arrangement through a joint commission of inquiry between now and December.

This program is not yet definite for there is no telling what can be done by the House when it once feels the impulse of the farm organizations but not until the latter agree among themselves it is likely that the House will bestir itself.



Is this a permanent or temporary boundary of the French penetration into the Ruhr? Here is the end of the territory under French sway at the present time.

A VISIT TO PROFESSOR SOUE

All America is tremendously interested in the sage of Nancy and thousands of people are eagerly availing themselves of the opportunity to hear him in all the great cities of the land.

Professor Soue will not come to Portsmouth but this will not deprive Portsmouth of the chance to hear all about him. Archdeacon Dodson, well known in the city as

a popular preacher through his frequent visits to the pulpit of All Saints' Church visited the professor in his own home at Nancy last summer and learned all about his methods. The Archdeacon will tell all about his impressions at the Wednesday night Lenten Service at All Saints'. You are very cordially invited to hear him. The service will commence at 7:30 P. M.

Branch Rickey Recovering From Operation

(Columbus Dispatch) Branch Rickey, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, is a victim of appendicitis, and he is said to be recovering nicely from an operation to correct this chronic trouble.

The operation brought to our mind again the trouble that Rickey has to endure in summer months for his adherence to the principle of not being with his team on Sunday. Fans in St. Louis are not unanimous on the propriety of operating a team that plays Sunday baseball and then absenting himself on the first day of the week. As a penalty it is said that every Sunday of the year when the Cardinals are at home, Rickey spends a busy evening answering telephone calls to answer queries as to what the score was that afternoon. These calls come from about the same set of inquirers every Sunday, but Rickey answers every one of them politely. He has disciplined his temper so thoroughly that it is said he never breaks over with a short answer to any of his persistent hecklers.

eight officers at bay for more than two hours. He was finally captured when machine guns were turned on his home.

SOCIETY

Local relatives have received word of the serious illness of Mrs. Vincent Kent, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. John F. Eckhart, in Cincinnati.

P. A. Wordeu, well known N. & W. engineer, is ill with an attack of the grip and tonsillitis at his home on Eleventh street.

The regular meeting of the J. A. to the O. R. C. will be held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock in Brady's Hall. All Link officers are requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Voorheis entertained with a slumber party at the Roosevelt Game Preserve Saturday night after the auto show, and also with a chicken dinner on Sunday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Meyer of Chillicothe and Miss Helen Hofer of Cincinnati. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Funderburg, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Johnson and daughter, Mary Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reno and Mr. and Mrs. L. Schofield of this city; Mr. J. Curley of the Huntington Packing Company, Huntington, W. Va.; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Voorheis and son, LeRoy.

Cards and dancing formed the diversion of the evening and several pleasing vocal numbers were rendered by Miss Hofer, who was the soloist at the automobile show.

Mrs. Gladys Morris who has been ill with the flu at her home, 1703 Sixth street, is improving.

Mrs. Lona Hughes, who underwent an operation at Hopewell Hospital three weeks ago, has been removed to her home, 914 Gay street.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Stars will be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 in the Masonic Temple. All members are urged to attend.

Wayne Evans Richard, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Richard, of 1230 Fourth street, is ill with the measles.

Mr. Albert J. Wolford and Mr. Ralph J. Collins spent the week-end with home folks. They both hold responsible jobs at the C. & O. shops at Huntington, W. Va.

Deputy Sheriff Dies Of Wound

STEELENSVILLE, O., February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—With the death of Barry S. Jones, Brooke county, West Virginia, deputy sheriff, from a bullet wound through his leg, Sheriff J. W. Stephens announced today that he will file charges of murder against Joe Jones, Follinsbee mill man, now recovering at a Wheeling hospital. Both were wounded in a lively gun battle the evening of 27, last, when Joe Jones held

Friday — Holy Communion — 7:00 A. M.
Prayer Service — Singing of Lenten Hymns and Spiritual Conference conducted by the Rector.
Subject — "God". All inquiring Christians heartily welcome. Candidates for Confirmation should attend these conferences.

Saturday — Holy Communion — 9:00 A. M.
All communion services in the chapel on Fourth street. Evening services in Church.
Members of the church are asked to cut this notice out and preserve it for reference.

Colored Churches To Stage Big Revival; First Service Thursday

The coming religious campaign of the four colored churches is to be a great awakening among the people of the North End. The pastors of the four churches are in harmony as to plans and methods.

They have been fortunate in securing one of the best preachers in the state of Ohio. After much meditation and prayer, Rev. Dr. W. O. Harper, pastor of the largest colored church in Youngstown was selected to conduct the meeting for four weeks. He will be here Thursday morning and will preach Thursday afternoon and night at Allen Chapel.

which church has been selected as the place for the great union meetings, during the four weeks' campaign. The members of all the colored churches are expected to meet their pastors Thursday night to go to the meeting together.

Services are to be held each night at Allen Chapel at 7:30, except Sunday nights. The opening meeting Thursday afternoon begins at three o'clock. Music is to be furnished by a union choir under the direction of Fred Minor. Choir members of the different colored churches co-operating will make up the union choir.

Ford

Four Reasons Why You Should Buy Your Ford Car This Month

I. The unprecedented demand for Ford Cars throughout the winter months has taken the entire output of the Ford plants working at capacity, indicating that the demand this Spring will be far in excess of the number of Ford Cars that can possibly be built.

II. January was the tenth consecutive month in which retail deliveries exceeded 100,000 Ford Cars and Trucks. Requirements for February, the month when preparations are already under way for Spring business, called for 148,407 Cars and Trucks—more than 24,000 in excess of the number we can possibly produce.

III. Ford dealers in many parts of the country are already finding it necessary to specify future delivery dates on Ford Products because there are no reserve stocks to draw from.

IV. Your order placed now will protect you against delay or disappointment later on—It is the only way you can be assured of reasonably prompt delivery.

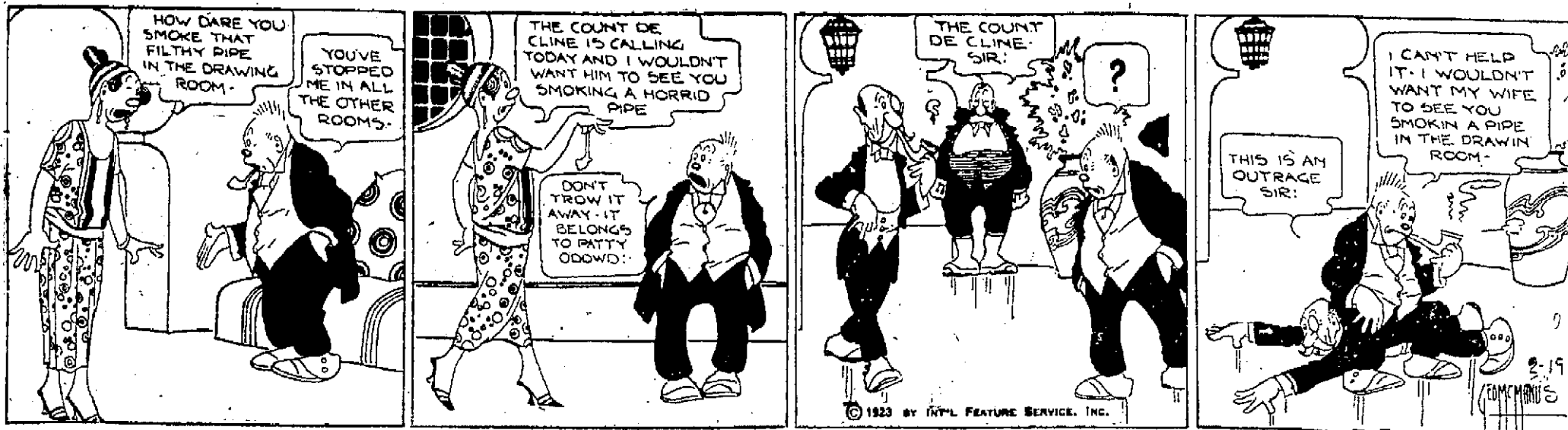
We consider it important to give you these facts, so that if you are planning to purchase A Ford Car, Truck or Fordson Tractor for use this Spring or Summer you can list your order at once and take advantage of our dealer's first opportunity to make delivery.

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BRINGING UP FATHER



BY McMANUS

Three Cornered Auto Collision

Three machines were damaged in a three cornered automobile accident, which occurred Sunday afternoon. A taxicab driven by Harold Hill of the Independent Taxicab company, east on Fourth street and a machine driven by a foreigner was being driven north on Gay street. Hill says the brakes on his car refused to work and his machine sidwheeled the foreigner's and then crashed head-on into R. E. Lewis' sedan, which was parked in front of his home, 961 Fourth street. Mrs. Lewis was in the car getting ready for a drive, but was not injured. A fender on her car was crumpled and both front lights were smashed. The taxi and the car owned by the foreigner were damaged also.

Children Play—Mother Dead

CLEVELAND—Two children of Mrs. Grace Morse, played for ten hours while their mother lay "sleeping" until Mr. Morse came home from work, without knowing she was dead.

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2 Above Sunday; 8 This A. M.

The coldest weather of the winter in this section was registered Sunday morning when the mercury tumbled down to two degrees above zero which is six degrees colder than the previous low mark, scored last Thursday morning when eight above was recorded, tying the record hung up this morning when the mer-

cure stopped at eight above the mark. The rising temperature Monday indicated that the cold wave which has gripped this section for the past several days has passed on and warmer weather is predicted to follow in the wake of the most frigid weather of the season.

"First" Ice In Ohio

Floating ice appeared in the Ohio river for the first time of the season Sunday and this morning the stream was running thick with ice but it is so light that it will not seriously interfere with traffic. The Ohio has not been frozen over since 1917, when

FORD MAY RESORT TO RIVER POWER

The Huntington Herald Dispatch says: Utilization of Ohio river water power for the generation of current for the electrification of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton railroad is the ultimate aim of Henry Ford, according to an interview accorded by the reputedly richest man in the world, at Ironton, O., Saturday afternoon. Mr. Ford reiterated statements made in an interview given at Williamson, W. Va., Friday night, declaring that

Wellston To Have Volunteer Firemen

The City Council at its regular meeting took a whirl at the various proposed street improvements with Broadway and North and South Pennsylvania avenue at the forefront. Coming close in importance was the passage of an ordinance creating a Volunteer fire department which provides for four assistant firemen

CAUGHT IN POLICE DRAGNET

A number of offenders were caught in the police drag-net over the week-end as the blotter at police headquarters Monday morning contained these names: Ruby Holt, disorderly conduct; Roy Nolan, reckless driving; C. G. Brown, street begging; Scotty McDowell and David Romaine, fighting; Luther Shannon, speeding; William Barber, James Pierce, Ed Stauden, Roy Ramsey, Harry Schineger, William Dunn, Jack Tucker and James W. Delay, plain drunks.



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GRAND JURY REPORTS AT IRONTON

IRONTON, Feb. 19—After having been in session four days, examining 150 witnesses, covering eighty-two cases, the grand jury reported fifty-six true bills and ignored twenty-six. It is understood that the investigation covered the liquor cases of the county and quite a few bills may be disclosed in that quarter, though none except prisoners in the county jail or under bond are made public.

The Beecher Walker case was under probe but no indictment was returned in the case. It is understood. Those indicted were:

Joe Whitl, disturbing a religious meeting.

William Ellis, assault with intent to kill.

Amos Goosey, abandoning his legitimate children.

Lee Andre Atkins, disturbing a religious meeting.

Austin Layne, abandoning illegitimate children.

William Bowser, uttering obscene language in the presence of females.

Ernie Pinkerman, on one count charging assault with intent to kill and another charging assault and battery.

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WEST END

Mr. Matt Holzman of 521. Sixth street who has been very ill with grip is improving.

Mrs. W. A. Lewis of 719 Tenth street who underwent an operation in the Mercy hospital two weeks ago has been removed to her home.

Mrs. Earl Shively and two children of 161 Front street are importing from attacks of grip.

Roscoe Hugue and son Charles Hugue of Franklin Furnace were business visitors to Portsmouth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Morris of Huntington were recent visitors to Portsmouth.

Miss Elizabeth Lindsey who resides at 130 Second street spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Shively Lindsey.

Mrs. Ethel Hudson who is residing with her brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. Russell McCoy at 212½ Market street is threatened with appendicitis and may have to undergo a surgical operation.

Four children of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shively of Scotot street, Ernest, Albert, Charles and Bettie are ill with measles.

D. C. Roll of 507½ Second street who has been ill is improving.

Mrs. Arthur Younger and son Raymond Eugene of 218½ Market street are improving from attacks of grip.

Mrs. Fred Miller and sister Mrs. Ella Cobb and mother Mrs. Reece Thompson of 218½ Market street are recovering from attacks of grip.

C. M. Dressler came home from Memphis suffering from a broken wrist which he sustained in a fall on an icy street. He was employed in that city.

The second annual ball given by the members of the Portsmouth fire department was a decided success in every respect. The hop was held in Kendall's Hall and more than a hundred participated. The cake walking which followed the dancing was the finest exhibition of the kind ever seen in the city. Miss Moss and Mr. McLaughlin, of St. Louis, captivated and won the admiration of the crowd by their graceful movements.

Taps sounded for a brave soldier when John W. Powers, 24, died at his home in Scototville. Powers was in the Santiago campaign.

When Sheriff James Ricker went to Frankfort, Ky., to secure requisition papers for a prisoner, he found Governor Bradley enjoying a social game of cards at 3:00 a. m. with a few friends.

March 11 was the date fixed by city council as the time to submit the "Ripper Bill," so called to a vote of the people.

Has Measles
Maurice Vaughters, of Friendship, is ill with measles, which is prevalent in that vicinity.

Has Recovered
Fred Klingman, Second street dry goods dealer, has recovered from a two weeks' illness with the grip.

W. Fulton Street Woman Recovers From a Severe Case of Stomach Trouble.



MRS. SARAH HARTMAN, COLUMBUS, O.

Statements from local people telling what Ka-di-ok has done for them and expressing their gratitude are continually being received. Selected at random from a large number on file is the following from Mrs. Sarah Hartman, living at 20 W. Fulton Street Columbus, who says: "I have been a sufferer from stomach trouble for years, some times my stomach would become so weak that I could not take the lightest kind of food or even a sip or two of water or other liquid without it souring and causing me distress and suffering afterwards. I would become so weak that I could hardly take care of the simplest kind of housework. My inability to take proper nourishment caused me to become very nervous and discouraged. I read about Ka-di-ok and started to take it. My condition improved after the first day or two. I now have a good appetite and am eating anything that appeals to me without any bad effect afterwards. I have regained my former strength and take care of my housework without any fatigue. Ka-di-ok is a grand medicine and I am pleased to tell of my experiences with it."

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MASONIC NOTICE
Regular meeting Solomonic Council, Monday, Feb. 19th, 7 P. M. Work.

WANTED

WANTED—6 non-union brick layers used to fine work. \$1.00 per hour. Steady work. Apply 215 Main St., Huntington, West Va. William Hall. 17-4t

WANTED—Telephone operator for small rural exchange at Haverhill, Good house and garden. If interested see or call W. A. Brush, Haverhill, Ohio. 17-4t

WANTED—To rent 4 or 5 room house with all conveniences. Best of references. Phone Boston 104-7. 17-3t

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WANTED—Cane. Phone 2740. 10-4t

WANTED—Girl to work in restaurant at night. Must be 21 years of age. Apply in person, E. D. Brandon, Mgr., Whitaker-Glessner Restaurant. 2-12-4t

WANTED—Moving and hauling of all kinds. \$2 per load. W. M. Stamper. Phone 1828-Y. 2-7-4t

WANTED—Moving. \$2.50 load. Phone 2467. John Q. Arthur. 12-1-4t

WANTED—To buy used furniture and stores. Furniture Exchange and Storage Co., 510 2nd. Phone 2612-X. 17-4t

WANTED—Your shoes to repair. Men's half soles, \$1.00; Ladies, 75c. Workmanship and material guaranteed. Work called for and delivered. Bantfield Bros., Nuth and Waller. Phone 1412-Y. 1-4-4t

WANTED—Roofs to paint and repair. Phone 1670-R. 28-4t

WANTED—Highest price paid for used furniture. Phone Boston 71. 11-22-4t

WANTED—Lady for housework. 2856 Rhodes Ave. Boston 127-1. 2-9-4t

WANTED—Houses. Will pay cash. The Wilhelm-Kricker Co. Phone 54. 2-12-4t

FOR SALE—2 mahogany chests of drawers, refinished. Schreck's Upholstering Shop, 510 Chillieth St. 2-12-4t

WANTED—Salesman, all towns, for by far best fitting, richest looking, soft as silk, all wool, made to order, men's suits (guaranteed) at wholesale price, \$27.50. We deliver, collect, furnish advertising \$80 to \$100 weekly. Tailoring experience unnecessary. Outfit shipped for free examination. Wholesale Direct Tailors, Dept. 10, Buffalo, N. Y. 10-11-4t

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WANTED—Stenographer with some knowledge of bookkeeping. Steady position. Portsmouth Dry Goods Co. 2-19-4t

WANTED—To rent 4 or 5 room house on Hilltop. Will pay in cash 1 year's rent in advance. Phone 1318-X. 19-4t

WANTED—Single man to work in dairy. Phone 915-4t. 2-19-4t

WANTED—Boy out of school. Apply in person, Brandon Book and Stationery Store. 39-4t

WANTED—To rent 4 or 5 room house in Scitoville on or by March 1st. Phone 1878-R. 19-2t

WANTED—To buy 4, 5 or 6 room cottage, or 5, 6 or 7 room two story, in good location. Phone 2601. 2-19-4t

WANTED—Licensed night foreman. Must have good references. Apply Herms Floral Co. 19-2t

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Beautiful 5 room cottage, water, gas, bath, electricity, large attic, 3 room basement; combination furnace, garage corner lot on hill, blinds, screens and linoleum go with house. \$6000. Phone 2672. 2-12-4t



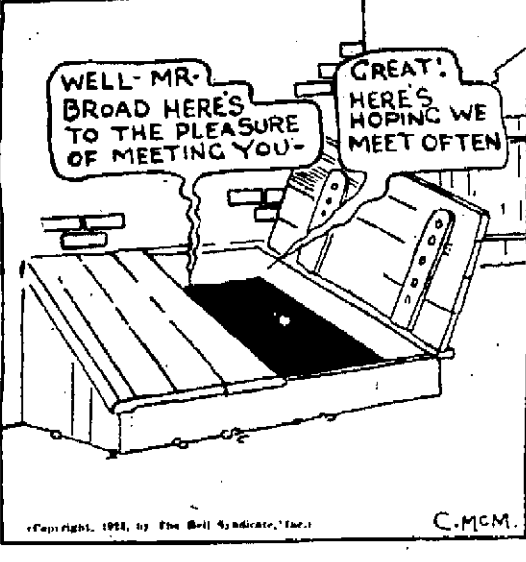
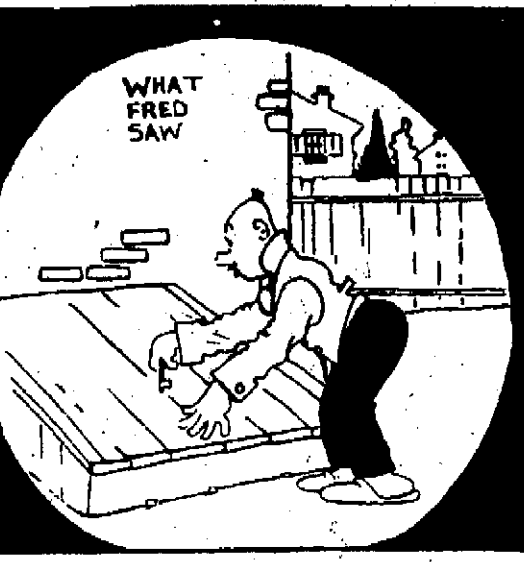
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FOR SALE—Chevrolet sedan — Also parts and plate glass. Schreck's Auto Top Shop. 510 Chillieth St. 2-12-4t

FOR SALE—Equity gas cooking stove. Phone 1617-R. 1824 Hutch-ings St. 2-12-4t

FOR SALE—8 room modern house, located on Offshore St. Phone 1562. 2-16-4t

FOR SALE—By owner, 5 room cottage; good repair. 8th street, near Brown. Price right. Phone 1067. 17-3t

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FOR SALE—1921 Buick coupe, like new; 1921 Buick touring, new cord tires; 1921 Roamer, sport, a good buy; Vim truck, 1 ton, cheap; 1918 Buick touring, nice light car; all bargains. MacDonell-Buick Company, 1625 Gallia. Phone 2500. 2-7-4t

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FOR RENT—Sleeping room. 1010 Gallia. 2-16-17

FOR RENT—2 newly furnished light housekeeping rooms. Bath, electricity. 1120 Kline's Lane. 2-16-17

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FOR RENT—New six-room house. Lakeview avenue, New Boston, \$60. Arranged for two families. Phone 1480-L. 18-21

FOR RENT—Bachelor apartments, single and double rooms; all conveniences; use of sun parlor. 541 Sixth Street. 2-19-17

FOR RENT—2 nice furnished light housekeeping rooms. Modern. Call at 6:30 evenings, 3106 Walnut. 18-21

FOR RENT—Modern 7 room bungalow. Hutchins Ave, 573. W. W. Bauer. 2-19-17

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms. Phone 1555-N. 19-17

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call Tuesday. 1012 6th St. 18-23

Market News

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Further improvement in the domestic business situation as reflected in the week end trade and mercantile reviews brought another flood of buying orders in today's stock market, imparting a firm tone to opening prices. Copper and steel shares were the early favorites, Inspiration and

FOR RENT—March 16th, 4 unfurnished rooms of 5 room cottage, centrally located; modern conveniences; to middle aged man and wife. Only must make my home with them. Phone 308. 5:30 to 6:30 p. m. 2-19-17

FOR RENT—Sleeping room for 2 men. Use of bath. 3144 Walnut. 2-19-17

FOR RENT—Front room for 1 or 2 gentlemen. All conveniences. Phone 822-R. 18-21

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. \$21 Third. 2-19-17

LOST

LOST—Brown and white collie dog. White spot on one side. Phone Boston 37-Y. 19-21

LOST—Feb. 14th, black, brown and white speckled hound. Phone 1526-R. 19-21

LOST—1 lever from Thornhill wagon. Call Summer Bros. 19-21

LOST—Collie dog, answers to name "Rex." License tag number 1115. Phone 510 or 1701-X. Reward. 19-21

LOST—Four yards of tan lace. Kindly telephone 1009-X. Possibly lost lace at Auto Show Saturday evening. 19-21

LOST—2 twenty and 2 ten dollar bills between 18th and Findlay and Market Sts. and the auto show. 1039 18th St. 17-21

LOST—Envelope containing \$30. Name on envelope, "Joseph Bailey." Number "1921." Phone 1978-R. Reward. 18-21

LOST—License tag, No. 567-141. Phone 602-N. 18-21

MISCELLANEOUS

GET Antifreeze at Arthur's Bicycle shop 756 Gallia. 846 Sixth. 17-21-M

ALL KINDS hair work made from combings. 307 Vine St., New Boston. 2-9-30

INCOME TAX CONSULTATIONS desired evenings by expert. Extensive familiarity with subject. Howard P. York, Phone 182 during day or 707-X after 6 p. m. 14-17

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Anna Thomas. (Signed) Dave Thomas. 17-21

New York Stocks Closing Prices

American Can 95%
American Car and Foundry 184
American Locomotive 124%
American Smelting and Refg. 64%
American Sugar 81%
American T. and T. 123
American Woolen 102%
Anaconda Copper 50%
Atchafalca 101%
A. T. and P. 101%
Baldwin Locomotive 139
Baltimore and Ohio 51%
Bethlehem Steel 71%
Central Leather 37%
Chandler Motors 73%
Chesapeake and Ohio 74%
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 25%
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. 36%
Chicago and N. W. 84
Corn Products 134%
Crucible Steel 80%
Famous Players-Lasky 88%
General Asphalt 46%
General Motors 15%
Goodrich Co. 37%
Illinois Central 115
Int. Mer. Marine pfd 43%
Kelly-Springfield Tire 64%
Mexican Petroleum 240 bid
Midvale Steel 29%
New York Central 97%
Northern Pacific 78%
Norfolk and Western 115%
Pan American Petroleum 81%
Pennsylvania 46%
People's Gas 92 bid
Pure Oil 31
Reading 80
Rep. Iron and Steel 57%
Royal Dutch N. Y. 54%
Sinclair Oil 34%
Southern Pacific 93%
Standard Oil of N. Y. 41%
Studebaker Corporation 119
Texas Co. 50%
Tobacco Products 84
Union Pacific 141%
United States Rubber 60
United States Steel 107%
Utah Copper 69%
Willys Overland 7%

CLOSING PRICES OHIO STOCK.
COLUMBUS, Feb. 19.—Cities Service common 1.91@1.93; do pfd 69@69 1/2; Pure Oil 31.

Chicago Grain And Provisions

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Renewed heavy selling ascribed to eastern holders sent wheat abruptly downward in price during the early dealings. An advance, which preceded the heavy selling and which appeared to be based on adverse weather conditions, especially in the south west was of short duration. One of the reasons put forward to account for eastern selling was continued absence of any important export demand. The opening which ranged from 1/2 to 1/4 higher May 1.20 1/2 and July 1.16 1/2 to 1.18 1/2 was followed by a drop to well below Saturday's finish.

Corn and oats took their cue from the action of wheat. After opening unchanged to 1/4% higher, May 75% to 76, the corn market showed losses all around.

The close was nervous 1/2 to 3/4 net lower May 75% to 75 1/2. Oats started 1/4 off to 1/4 up, May 46% to 46 1/2 and later underwent a general sag.

Provisions were lower in line with hog values.

Pork closed unsettled at 1/4 net decline to 1/2 advance with May 1.20 1/2@1.20 3/4 and July 1.15 1/2 to 1.15 3/4.

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Wheat: May 1.20 1/2; July 1.15 1/2; Sept. 1.14. Corn: May 75%; July 76 1/4; Sept. 77 1/2. Oats: May 46%; July 45 1/2; Sept. 43 1/2. Pork nominal.

Barley: May 11 1/2; July 11 1/2. Rye: May 10 1/2; July 10 1/2. CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Butter: unchanged, creamery extras 72; standard not quoted; extra firsts 70@71; firsts 48 1/2@49; seconds 46@47. Eggs higher; receipts 14,190 cases; firsts 35; ordinary firsts 31@32; miscellaneous 31@31 1/2.

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, Feb. 19.—Hogs, receipts 2700; slow 15@20c lower. Butcher 7.75@8.35; packers and butchers 8.50@8.80; medium 8.80; heavy 4.00@6.00; heavy fat pigs 6.00@6.75; light sows 8.50; pigs 110 pounds and less 7.00@8.50.

Cattle, receipts 1000; steady to strong; steers good to choice 12.50@13.00; fair to good 12.00@12.50; common 11.50@12.00; to fair 4.00@6.00; heifers good to choice 7.50@9.00; fair to good 6.00@7.50; common to fair 4.00@6.00; cows good to choice 4.75@6.25; fair to good 3.75@4.75; cutters 2.75@3.50.

Calves, strong; 50c higher; good to choice 14.50@15.00; fair to good 11.00@14.50; common and large 5.00@9.00.

Sheep, receipts 50; steady; good to choice 5.00@6.50; fair to good 3.00@5.00; common 1.00@2.00; bucks 2.00@4.00. Lambs steady; good to choice 15.00@15.25; fair to good 12.50@15.00; seconds 11.00@12.00; common 7.00@8.00; sheared 6.00@12.00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Hogs, receipts 67,000; active, 10 to 25c lower; bulk 150 to 190 pound averages 8.50@8.15; top 8.15; some light hogs, bulk 200 to 225 pound, butchers 7.00@8.00; bulk 240 to 325 pound butchers 7.70@7.80; packing sows mostly 6.75@7.00; pigs 7.00@7.75; heavyweight hogs 7.50@7.85; medium 7.75@8.00; lights 7.00@8.15; light lights 7.75@8.10; packing sows smooth 6.50@7.25; packing sows rough 6.50@6.90; killing pigs 7.00@7.75.

Cattle, receipts 21,000; beef steers slow; uneven; generally steady with Friday's extreme decline; killing quality fairly good; early top market 13.00; heavy 12.25; best yearlings 9.75; some held higher; bulk beef steers 7.75@9.25; stock steady to weak; spots lower; bulls strong; real calves steady to strong; stockers and feeders scarce; generally steady; bulk desirable fat calves to packers 12.00@13.00; upward to 14.00 and above to shippers; bulk desirable heavy hogs bulk 5.00 to 5.50; bulk stockers and feeders 6.50@7.75. Sheep, receipts 19,000; opening fairly active, fat woolled lambs weak to 25c lower; clipped kinds steady; early top 15.00 to packers and shipper; some held higher; clipped lambs generally 12.25@12.50; two loads clipped 101 pound yearlings 9.50; sheep fully steady; two loads choice 120 pound ewes 8.25 to city butchers; feeder supply light; one deck 81 pound feeding and shearing lambs 14.50 to yard traders.

EAST BUFFALO
EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 19.—Cattle, receipts 2,150; steady, except for heavy hogs which were 25c lower; er; shipping steers 8.50@10.00; butchers 7.25@8.50; yearlings 8.50@9.00; heifers 8.50@8.25; cows 2.25@6.50; bulls 4.50@3.55; stockers 6.50@6.50; fresh cows and springers 5.50 to 8.10.

Calves, receipts 3,000; steady 4.00@17.00.

Hogs, receipts 12,800; 15@25c lower; heavy 8.50@8.00; mixed 8.75@8.90; Yorkers, light Yorkers and pigs 9.00; roughs 7.00@7.25; stags 4.50@5.50.

Sheep and lambs, receipts 17,000; lambs 25c lower; yearlings 25c higher; lambs 8.00@15.50; yearlings 8.00@13.75; wethers 9.00@9.50; ewes 3.50@8.00; mixed sheep 8.00@8.50.

Produce Market
CLEVELAND, Feb. 19.—Butter extra in tubs 55 1/2@58; pound prints 58 1/2@60; extra firsts 54 1/2@57; firsts 55 1/2@56.

Eggs fresh gathered northern extras 40; extra firsts 39; Ohio firsts 38; western firsts new cases 37 1/2. Margarine, nutola 20; high grade made of animal oils 25@25 1/2; lower grades 16@17.

Cheese, york state 30@31; brick 20@27; fancy Swiss 30@45; limburger 26@28.

Poultry, live heavy fowls 28@31; roosters 14@15; springers fat 28@30; thin 20@27; ducks 25; geese 20 1/4; turkeys 40.

Sweet potatoes Delaware 1.15 a hamper.

Potatoes Michigan 1.50@2.00 per 150 pound sack; New York 2.10@2.20 per 150 pound sack; Colorado brown beauties 1.75 per 100 pound sack; Idaho russets 2.00@2.40 per hundred pounds.

CINCINNATI PRODUCE
CINCINNATI, Feb. 19.—Live poultry, fowls 25; roosters 10; roasting chickens 4 lbs and over 28; fryers 2

lbs and over 30; broilers 26@35; turkeys 28.

Butter, creamery 48@51; dairy fancy 40; packing 28@30.

Eggs, extra firsts 37; firsts 34; ordinary firsts 33; seconds 32.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL
CINCINNATI, Feb. 19.—Denatured alcohol in drums 58; gasoline tank wagon 20; 70 per cent 20.

MONEY
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Call money firm, high 5; low 4 1/2; ruling rate 5; closing bid 4 1/2; offered at 1 1/2; last loan 4 1/2; call loans against acceptances 4 1/2; time loans 5; 4 to 6 months 5; prime commercial paper 4 1/2@4 3/4.

COTTON
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Cotton spot, quiet; middling 23.65.

Cotton futures closed steady. Mar. 28.62; May 28.81; July 28.29; Oct. 25.92; Dec. 25.67.

LIBERTY BONDS.
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Liberty bonds closed: 2 1/2's 101.50; first 4's 98.64 bid; second 4's 98.46 bid; first 4 1/2's 98.82; second 4 1/2's 98.74; third 4 1/2's 98.88; fourth 4 1/2's 98.70; uncalculated victory 4 1/2's 100.32; U. S. Government 4 1/2's 99.96.

SUGAR.
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Raw sugar 5 1/2 for Cugas cost and freight, equal to 7.05 for centrifugal. Raw sugar futures 2 to 9 points higher. Refined 8.25 to 8.50. Refined futures nominal.

Sugar futures closed easy; uncalculated sales 11,000 tons; March 5.13; May 5.31; July 5.44; Sept. 5.57.

COFFEE
NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Coffee, Rio No. 7, 13 1/4; futures easy; May 11.67; July 11.04.

25,000 Belgian Miners Strike

BRUSSELS, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Twenty-five thousand Belgian miners of the 35,000 employees in the Mons Basin have gone on strike over the question of wages.

OBITUARY

Edward Morrison
Edward Morrison, aged 38, a former well known resident of Lick Run, Scioto County died Monday in the Athens Hospital. His body will arrive here tonight and will be taken to the home of his son, Frank Morrison, 4236 Pine street, where the funeral services will be held Wednesday. He leaves his aged father; George Morrison of Wheelersburg and the following sons and daughters, Frank, Everett and John of New Boston and Mrs. Emma Bartley. Miss Mary Morrison of New Boston and Elizabeth of Wheelersburg and Lelia of Columbus.

Two years ago Morrison mistook his wife for a burglar in his home on Lick Run and shot her in the arm. Amputation of the arm was necessary and Mrs. Morrison never rallied from the shock. The tragic affair eventually unbalanced her husband's mind and he had been a patient in the Athens Hospital for two years.

R. E. Waugh
Death this morning at 10:20 claimed R. E. Waugh, well known resident of 926 Eighth street, who had been ill since January 5 with hardening of arteries. His condition for several days had been critical.

Mr. Waugh was born in Mason county, W. Va., and was forty-two years of age August 16 last. His education was completed in Gallipolis. For several years he was engaged in the photographic business and traveled extensively throughout the South. About twenty-two years ago he located in Portsmouth and engaged in the real estate business, and continued in it until his death ensued.

The deceased was married here to Miss Janet Platt and is survived by his widow and the following children: Marguerite, John, Harry and William. He also leaves two sisters, Miss Nora Waugh of Akron and Mrs. Constant Kline of Cincinnati and a brother, W. B. Waugh of Akron.

Mr. Waugh never united with any church but was a regular attendant at the Central Presbyterian church. Rev. G. Monroe Howerton will have charge of the last rites which will be conducted from the home Wednesday afternoon. Burial will be in Friendship cemetery.

Mrs. Susan Hackworth
Mrs. Susan Hackworth, formerly of Mt. Joy and Rarden, died at her

home in Peebles Sunday night following a short illness with pneumonia. She was about seventy years old and the widow of George W. Hackworth, who was a prominent farmer and Civil War veteran of Mt. Joy for many years. He was killed in this city about 20 years ago, being stabbed to death.

Mrs. Hackworth is survived by several children.

Miss Nettie Shaffer
Death at 1:30 Monday afternoon claimed Miss Nettie Shaffer, who died at her home, 1923 Robinson avenue after a long illness due to complications. In addition to her mother, Mrs. Carmi Shaffer, she leaves the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Constance Lake and Gertrude Mary and Nara of this city, and Brooks of Niqua, George of Darlington, Ind., Charles of Warren, O., and Samuel of this city. Miss Shaffer also leaves a wide circle of friends to mourn her passing.

Jack Hollenbach
Jack, bright little son of Mr. and Mrs. George Hollenbach, passed away Monday in the Protestant hospital, Columbus, his death being due to double pneumonia. Mr. Hollenbach is manager of the East End Supply company and he is making his home here and was to have been joined by his wife and son, who it was thought was improving, but suffered a relapse and soon passed away. The funeral services will be held in Columbus Wednesday at 10 A. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hollenbach
Third street will be among the relatives in attendance at the last rites.

Miss Elgan McDaniels
Miss Elgan McDaniels, aged 69, a highly respected resident of 1436 R. Run passed away late Sunday night, her death taking place at the home of her niece, Mrs. John Jones of Duck Run. She had been ill for some time with complications. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Jennie McDaniels of Duck Run, and two brothers, John of Portsmouth and Blaq of McCollough.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Jones home on Duck Run at 10 a. m. Wednesday. Interment in Ransdown cemetery.

James Edward Weaver
James Edward Weaver, son of Martha Howerton, died Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock after a short illness, due to pneumonia. The funeral services will be conducted from the home of John H. Lewis, 2639 Fifth street, Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Lewis is a cousin of Martha Howerton.

Thomas Artis
One of the best known residents of Valley township was claimed by death Sunday morning about nine o'clock when the final summons came to Thomas Artis, farmer, of Salt Creek, near Lucasville. Mr. Artis suffered a stroke of paralysis one week ago, and his condition had been critical for several days. Relatives keeping in constant attendance at his bedside, as no hopes were held for recovery.

The deceased was 65 years of age, and most of his life was spent on farms in Valley township. For a long time he resided on Scioto Trail near Clifford, but about seventeen years ago he moved to Salt Creek. Mr. Artis was twice married. His first wife was Miss Sarah Williams. His second wife was Miss Elizabeth Dudley. The widow and the following children, Mrs. Earl McNamer of Lucasville, and Mrs. John Bailey of Salt Creek, of the first marriage, and Gordon Artis and Cleve Artis of Salt Creek, John Artis, at home, Mrs. Sadie Ward of Wakefield, and Misses Dorothy and Ruth Artis at home, of the second marriage. He also leaves two brothers, Fred Artis of Minnesota, and James Artis of Salt Creek, and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Boyles and Mrs. Nora Horn of Portsmouth, and Mrs. Katie Bonzo of Lucasville.

Mr. Artis was a member of the Scioto Baptist church on Salt Creek, and the funeral services will be held there Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock with burial in the church cemetery.

Mrs. David Bennett
Mrs. Janet Bennett, beloved wife of David Bennett, passed away Sunday morning at 9 o'clock at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Trimmer 1730 Eleventh street. Her death was attributed to infirmities of age.

Mrs. Bennett in addition to her husband leaves two daughters, Mrs. Oscar Trimmer and Mrs. Elmer Heisel of this city and two sons, David Jr., of this city and James,

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who is located in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett reside of Summit street but when Mrs. Bennett was about five weeks ago she was moved to her daughter's home. She was kind and charitable to all and will be missed.

Funeral services will be conducted from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Trimmer, Eleventh street Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in Greenlawn.

R. K. Day Funeral
The funeral of Robert K. Day, prominent educator and for many years principal of the Rarden schools who died Friday at his temporary home in that village, was held from the Christian church at Mt. Joy at two o'clock Sunday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Gerald Colburn, pastor of the First Christian church of this city, and a big throng of sorrowing friends paid splendid tribute to the memory of the veteran schoolmaster by attending the last sad rites. Among the crowd was a delegation representing the Masonic Order of which the deceased was a member and a number of his former pupils were also present. The remains were laid to rest in the family lot in the cemetery nearby.

George J. Smith
George J. Smith, civil war veteran and a leading citizen of Chillicothe, passed away at his home there Saturday. He was well known in Portsmouth.

Infant Dies
Edward, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Tompkins of 2341 Eighth street died shortly after birth and was laid to rest in Greenlawn. Mrs. Tompkins is ill with measles, but is improving.

Austin Funeral
Funeral services were held at ten o'clock this morning for Opal May, two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Austin, who died Saturday afternoon at her home, 511 Market street. Burial was made in Greenlawn.

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Help Wanted 99?

A FEW DAYS ago we appealed to one hundred and fifty fellow-citizens to serve WITH US, not for us, on solicitation teams to sell stock in the Portsmouth Industrial Housing Company—a community corporation to provide rental houses to new employees, who are willing to make Portsmouth their future home. Fifty-one responded to the call. We, ourselves, have been working months on this task and are still willing to do more work, but we are now at a point where we must have assistance. To whom shall we go for aid if not to our fellow townsmen?

ALL THE DETAIL and preliminary work has been done—and you and your team-mate will merely be asked to take ten prospect cards and see ten people. An out-of-town stock salesman alone has sold \$100,000.00 worth of stock in Portsmouth since New Year's, in an OUT-OF-TOWN proposition. Is there any reason why we cannot sell to ourselves at least half this much in OUR OWN proposition?

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News From Nearby Towns

WAVERLY

WAVERLY, O., Feb. 19.—The Waverly Literary Club held their annual banquet and social time Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Leo Lorchbach. Members and their guests to the number of 48, were present. After a most delicious banquet, the following program of toasts and music was given:

Welcome—Mrs. Leo Lorchbach.
Toast Mistress—Miss Caldwell.
To St. Valentine—Mr. Hostetter.
Home—Mrs. Scott.
Song By Quartette. "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground"—Mr. Hamilton.
Mr. Tietrick, Mr. Hetsinger, Mr. Lorchbach.

Clouds—Mrs. Barker.
Hearts—Mr. Reisinger.
Another number by quartette, "Farewell to Summer."
Mr. Hutchison.
Sunshine—Miss Smith.

Ladies Are Banqueted
Friday night, the men of the Methodist church gave their long promised banquet to the ladies. The affair was held at the church and was attended by men, women and children. A large number was present, with the men in the dual role of providers and cooks both. The men showed their home training by putting on a swell banquet, their wives saying they never had eaten better prepared food. However, it is blotted that the men received some expert help from Caterer Leo Moore. Charles Helman received considerable praise for the quality of his salad. There was also a short entertainment consisting of moving pictures and a solo by Charles Schriener. This was followed by a social time, the guests lingering until a late hour.

Mrs. R. B. Watkins and son Richard spent the weekend at Springfield where Mr. Watkins is located.

Mrs. Wilmer Gehres entertained the E. O. S. club at her home Friday afternoon at five hundred. A delightful lunch was served.

Lloyd F. Gehres returned Friday from a six weeks' business trip from old Virginia.

Hon. T. S. Hogan of Columbus and William McKenzie of Chillicothe were visitors to Waverly for a short time Saturday.

John T. Adams and son Noel of Columbus spent Saturday night here enroute to Hardin to attend the funeral of a relative.

Lloyd F. Gehres is the owner of a new Essex Cabriolet.

Frank Schreiber, who is employed at Ashland, spent Friday here.

HAMDEN

(W. E. Stanton, Correspondent)
HAMDEN, O., Feb. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Craft were recent visitors to Gallipolis, being called there on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. T. L. Craft.

Mrs. W. E. Stanton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John O. Martin at Jackson.

Miss Marie Harris has been appointed agent for the Gem City Life Insurance company of Dayton, O.

Mrs. Leo Stanton, daughters Betty and Ruth were the guests of friends in Chillicothe Saturday and Sunday.

Ralph Booth, who is teaching school near Ray, O., spent the weekend with his parents at Puritan.

Messrs. Willard Speth and William Tudor of Chillicothe were recent visitors here.

Mrs. Cyrus Rizzuto of Wellston was the guest of relatives here Friday.

Mrs. Thomas Lewis of Chillicothe, a former Hamden resident was calling on friends here Wednesday.

WEST SIDE

Mrs. Josephine Easter of Buena Vista who has been a guest several days with her brother Maurice Young and his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Young of Sciotoville returned to her home Saturday afternoon by her son Norman Easter who is employed in the printing department of the Whitaker-Glessner plant.

Mrs. Anna Harcha of Buena Vista continues seriously ill.

Miss Jesse Johnson of Rockville is very ill with typhoid fever. Her husband and three children are all ill with flu.

Walter Easter of Buena Vista who is employed in the sheet mill in the Whitaker-Glessner plant has been detained several days from his work as he is suffering from grip.

Charles Clifford Jr. of Buena Vista has returned from a few days visit with relatives at Churn Creek, Adams County.

Miss Madeline Simon of Pond Creek was the guest of relatives and friends in Portsmouth Saturday.

Mrs. J. Dornback of Buena Vista who has been very ill is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Heller of Buena Vista who were ill are improving.

Mrs. Frank Johnson of Dry Run was the guest Saturday of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis, 719 Tenth street.

Dorothy McFarland of Sandy Springs was a business visitor to Portsmouth Saturday.

Miss Gladys Arnette of Buena Vista who is employed in Selby Shoe factory has been detained from her employment several days being very ill with grip.

Messrs. Arnold Colligan and Roy Bolland of Buena Vista recently visited relatives in Portsmouth.

Miss Lorena Habsbaker of McGraw is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Easter of Buena Vista.

Raymond Beekman of West Side was the guest of relatives and friends in Portsmouth Saturday.

GREENUP
(Leroy Smith, Correspondent)
The Greenup high school and courses of study have been approved by the state board of education and the school is graded as a class one, accredited high school, according to the state superintendent, Geo. Colvin.

J. R. Lawson, 90, resident of Vernon Furnace, Ohio, died at the home of his son, Reuben T. Lawson, Sunday, after an extended illness due to infirmities. The deceased has been residing at the home of his son only of late years, as he spent a greater part of his life at Frost, Greenup county, Ky. He is widely known in this county and the announcement of his passing will occasion much sorrow. Besides the son one daughter survives. The remains were interred at Frost.

Maxine Myrtle Howes, the eleven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Howes of South Russell, died at her home Friday February 9. She had been ill only about twenty-four hours. She was an unusually bright child, a favorite with her teacher and schoolmates. The funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon at 10 o'clock in charge of Rev. Isiah Cline.

Court News
Mrs. Lulu King was appointed administratrix of the estate of the late Nathan L. King. Bond, \$1,000.

Mrs. Nora Salmons was appointed administratrix of the former postmaster, Clarence Salmons, deceased of Cligio, Ky. Bond, \$2,500. High Boggs and Dr. J. W. Carter, security.

William Diller, John Mays and Frank Bates as appraisers.

Lewis Farley of Fullerton was recently commissioned police judge of that town, and has received his commission from the governor and gave a \$1,000 bond, with S. M. Robertson and J. F. Davis securities.

A. W. Alanko was appointed administrator of the estate of J. A. Alanko. Bond, \$3,000.

SCIOTOVILLE and WHEELERSBURG
SCIOTOVILLE
Miss Myrtle White was in New Boston, Sunday where she was the guest of her brother, Frank White, of Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. Joseph Orlinmeyer of Main street, returned Saturday from Detroit, where she was called early in the week by the illness of her brother, Bernard Orlinmeyer, who is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Newman and family moved today from 409 Bloom street, to their new home at Vincent, on Burke Lane. Their telephone number is 7405.

The members of Class Five of the Christian church will meet Thursday evening at 7:15 o'clock in the basement of the church for their regular monthly business and social meeting.

Mrs. Perry Winkler and daughter, Estel, of Oak avenue, have been ill with the grip for the past week.

Mrs. Lewis Lindeman of Wait's Station, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

The Porter Quarterly meeting for February was held at the Porter Baptist church, Saturday and Sunday, February 17 and 18.

Mrs. Gus Entlering of Wait's Station, was a business visitor to Portsmouth, Monday.

Stimmi Jenkins of Long Meadow, is detained from his work at the Breese Mfg. plant, with an attack of grip, is getting along nicely.

Cullum Partel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Greene Partel, of Long Meadow, is recovering from an attack of grip.

Miss Marjorie Burgess has returned to school after being ill with grip.

R. C. Burgess of Long Meadow is ill with grip.

Miss Temperance Sherman of Wait's Station, has resumed her work as teacher in Sciotoville, after a week's illness with grip.

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The condition of Mrs. Frank Bleier, who has been ill for some time, remains about the same.

Miss Catherine Bailey is ill with grip at her home on Eastern avenue. Noah Watkins of Liawood avenue, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

Mrs. Frank Wheeler and son, William, of Springdale, have recovered from the grip.

Miss Elizabeth Williams of Harding avenue, who has been seriously ill, is now able to be up.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kinger of Wait's Station, who recently sold their property to George Gannup, of Sunshine, are moving to Sciotoville.

WHEELERSBURG
Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Lunsford and three children, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Lunsford's mother, Mrs. E. T. Lunsford, of Campbell avenue, Portsmouth.

John Duis is ill with an attack of grip.

The condition of Mrs. Mae Burgess, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

A. P. Preston, who has been ill with grip, is improving.

Miss Winifred Duls is ill with grip.

The members of the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will give a bazaar in the High School auditorium, Wednesday evening, February 21. A patriotic program will be given, and as only a small fee of admission will be charged, the committee in charge is anticipating a large attendance. All kinds of home made good things will be on sale, as well as various other articles.

JACKSON

(Margaret Miller, Correspondent)
JACKSON, Feb. 19.—The home of Auditor Charles Scurluck, on South street was the scene of a merry gathering of young people Friday evening, when the joint birthdays of his daughters, Mildred and Garnet, were celebrated. The young ladies' ages are 17 and 14, respectively. The evening was spent in games and a general good time. The guests were Messrs. Samuel Brunton, Roy Brunton, Hugh Jenkins, Doc Kitchen, Omar Wilson, John Scurluck, Arthur Cherrington, Olm Walker, Lonnie Stratenberger, John Edward Clair, Donald White, Roy Thomas, Austin Wilson, Misses Mabel Morris, Carrie Morris, Opal Brunton, Marie Mayhew, Frances Brown, Marcella Metzler, Avonelle Kramer, Della Walker, Mabel Wagner, Mary Melt Walker, Esther Davis, Hazel Bales, Edna Spencer, Lucille Scurluck, Grace Sharpe, Rena Stroth, Adrienne Sicks, Dorothy Scurluck, Elizabeth Scurluck, Florence Scurluck and Robert and Herman Scurluck. The party was managed by their sister, Mrs. Bessie Hollingsworth and Miss Iva Sharpe.

Mrs. John Doss, who has been quite ill with pneumonia at her home on Waller street, is improving.

Mrs. Clyde Dungan of Dayton is the guest of her parents, Captain and Mrs. J. C. Hurd, of Locust street.

Miss Fontabel Lattimer, supervisor of music in the local schools, was in Columbus for the week-end.

Misses Minnie Farrar and Sadie Harrell entertained the daughters of the G. A. R. Friday evening at their home on Broad street. It was an important meeting, with the election and installation of the officers for the coming year. The new officers are: Commander, Nannie Hank

Poore; Senior Vice-Commander, Letitia Rice; Junior Vice-Commander, Lucille Hale Sheldon; Quartermaster, Sadie Harrell; Chaplain, Maude Wortman; Patriotic Instructor, Mattie Brooks Johnson; Officer of the Day, Clara Hank Scurluck; Officer of the Guard, Katharine Martin; Sentinel, Mame Steele; Auditor, Ella Evans; Drill Sergeant, Ethel Hurd; Notary Public, Margaret Miller; Concoiler, Katherine Martin; Adjutant, Mollie Harberger; Musician, Minnie Farrar. During the social which followed refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostesses. Mrs. Clyde Dungan, an out-of-town member, was present.

Washington's Birthday, will be celebrated with a chicken dinner at the Presbyterian church at six o'clock Thursday evening by the ladies of the Missionary Society. This is not a church affair and everybody is welcome.

The Frances Willard Memorial meeting of the W. C. T. U., will be held Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 21, at the Presbyterian church. The hostesses for the day will be Messrs. Joe Palmer, George Mapes, Will Rice, J. D. Wittman, B. Rice, W. E. Davis, Frank Shadrach, W. N. McDonald, Ada Mapes, John Miller, Wiseman, Ashbaugh, Earl Johnson, John Brown and J. W. Harberger.

Mr. Lou Bragg entertained the Four Table Auction Club Wednesday with a one o'clock luncheon, at her home on Sycamore and West streets. Mrs. Charles Jones was the winner and received the prize, while Mrs. George Mitchell received the guest prize at the play during the afternoon.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. R. M. Powell was the hostess to the Five Table Auction Club at her home on Chestnut street. Mrs. S. E. Stephenson received the prize for the highest score. Miss Harriet Carracel of Wellston was a guest for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Birch Nichols and son, Dwight, with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melvin, were the Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Wilson of Coulton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McElhee, Mr. and Mrs. John Boylan and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Scott of Jackson attended a meeting of a card club at Coulton on Wednesday evening with Mrs. Robert Jones and daughter, Dorothy, as the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Vance and daughter, Ruby Mae, spent Sunday in the country as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey and son, Roscoe.

NEW BOSTON

Abbe Abbott and Mrs. Eunice Schultz passed membership with the Ohio Avenue Christian Church Sunday evening.

Mrs. Alma Taylor of 3872 Gallia avenue is ill with grip.

The young people of the Ohio Avenue Christian church are requested to meet at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday evening preceding the prayer meeting services, to practice songs for the Sunday services.

The members of the Loyal Daughters Class of the Ohio Avenue Christian church, will meet tomorrow evening with Mrs. Maude Carr, at her home on Grace street, instead of with Mrs. Hazel Huffman, as previously announced.

Mrs. Clinton Rose, of Glenwood avenue is ill.

Frederick Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cross of Grace street, is ill.

R. V. Hancock, of Gallia avenue, is in Columbus, where he may close the deal on the sale of his farm near that city.

Miss Vera Fields of Rhodes avenue was the Sunday guest of her mother, Mrs. Beula Fields, of Blue Lane.

Mrs. Ella Jenkins, of 617 Glenwood avenue, suffered a broken arm in a fall several weeks ago.

William Hyslop is ill with an attack of grip at his home on Grace street.

Mrs. Hurley Flack is recovering from an attack of grip at her home on Harrisville avenue.

William Moreland had charge of the evening services at the Ohio Avenue Christian church, Sunday evening, in the absence of the minister, Rev. W. L. Huffman, who is ill with grip.

Eagar Burkhardt, of 4057 Rhodes avenue, who has been ill with grip, is recovering.

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avenue, who has been ill with grip, is recovering.

Clay township, Young Peoples' Conference, will be held in the Pine street Baptist church Thursday evening, February 22. This conference is for all the young people between the ages of 12 and 24 and for adults and leaders, pastors and superintendents. A large attendance is being anticipated.

Millbrook Council D. of A. will meet in regular session in Davis hall this evening.

Miss Mae Slaughter, of Glenwood avenue, is recovering from an attack of grip.

Mrs. Martin Slaughter, who has been ill for several weeks at her home on Glenwood avenue, is recovering.

Mrs. Mary Hazel Floyd, Young People's Superintendent of Clay township, visited the Sunday schools in Clay township, Sunday.

Kilne Jenkins of Gallia avenue, who has been ill with grip, is improving.

Miss Helen Sims, of Glenwood avenue, who has been ill with grip, has recovered and has resumed her work at the telephone exchange.

Miss Myrtle White, of Sciotoville, was the Sunday guest of her brother, Frank White, of Rhodes avenue.

Raymond McAllister is seriously ill with influenza at his home 4377 Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. Winfield Floyd is ill with an attack of grip at her home on Glenwood avenue.

Mrs. Effie Lockbaum, D. of A. District Deputy No. 7, will go to Wellston today where she will attend the D. of A. Council tonight.

Ellis Parson of Glenwood avenue is visiting homefolks in Carter, Ky.

Evelyn Nesbit Arrested

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Evelyn Nesbit arrested at a cabaret where she has been employed, was scheduled for a hearing in court today. Released in ten dollar bail after her arrest, she declared she was the victim of a "frame up." The police say the arrest was ordered by the cafe manager after an encounter between Miss Nesbit and a local physician.



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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

Loyal Christian Endeavor Society will hold their regular monthly business and social session at the home of Miss Florence McFarland, 1205 Officers street Monday evening. The Berean Bible Class will give a chicken supper in the basement of the church Tuesday evening. Section Four will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Browning Callis street Tuesday afternoon. The executive meeting of the Women's Missionary Society will be held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Beck 317 Murray street on Tuesday afternoon. All members asked to be present. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:15. Rev. Culbertson will be the leader. All members of the choir who expect to have part in the big chorus during the Anderson meeting are asked to meet in the Universal garage Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Cradle Roll workers are asked to meet at the home of Mrs. Robinson, 1730 Fifth street, Wednesday afternoon. Come early. The Woman's Union will meet in regular business and social session on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 22.

Pipe Bursts; Fire Scare In West End

The flow of gas from a burst service pipe ignited and caused a fire scare in the vicinity of the old Interstate barn in the West End shortly after three o'clock Sunday afternoon when the flames threatened to spread to a cottage nearby. Two fire companies made runs to the scene and prevented the flames from catching fire until the gas could be shut off although considerable trouble was experienced in locating a valve.

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sician at one of the cafe tables just before she was to go on with her dance act.

Miss Nesbit, according to the police, suddenly brought the dancers to their feet by crying that the physician had approached her and struck her in the face. The doctor said Miss Nesbit addressed a remark while he was dancing with another woman and then slapped him. He said he merely pushed her toward a chair. No charge was preferred against him.

Fire Damages

Grocery Store

The equipment from two fire stations responded to a call shortly after ten o'clock Sunday forenoon and suppressed a blaze in a grocery store conducted by Bryant Brown at Fifteenth street and the railroad. The fire which originated from defective flue was extinguished quickly by the firemen with the use of chemicals and the damage was slight.

Fire Damages Truck

A truck owned by The Portsmouth Coal and Ice company was slightly damaged shortly after seven o'clock Monday morning when it caught fire while the driver was trying to thaw out the radiator. The Gallia street fire company responded to a call to the American Steam Laundry barn near Front and Glover streets, where the machine was housed, and quickly extinguished the flames.

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Eight Children Made Orphans

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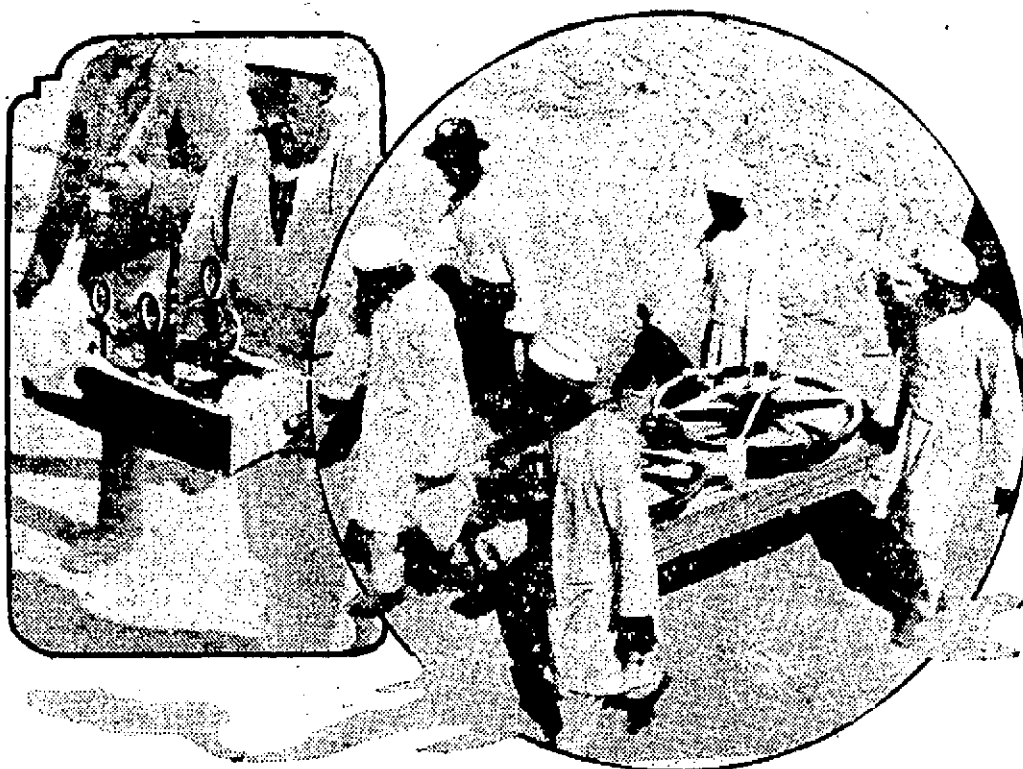
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TOMB OF TUT-ANKH-AMEN SURRENDERS ART TREASURES OF ANCIENT CIVILIZATION



At the top, left to right—Natives removing a funeral bouquet from the tomb. The bouquet, of a dark, brown color due to the preservative which protected it for 3500 years, was about three feet long. Despite every care some leaves fell into the tray. In top center is shown removal of two art treasures: on the left a wooden box exquisitely carved and painted with red and gold; on the right, four Chariot wheels, tightly strapped to a litter to prevent breakage, are shown being carried out by native workmen. The chariots were found in a tangled heap in one corner of the tomb and it was difficult to remove them without further damage.

Below is shown the armed guard of native Egyptian troops protecting the invaluable treasures as they are being carried from the tomb. The European on the left of the litter bearers is Howard Carter, who has charge of the excavations. The white box contains valuable fabrics, probably Tut-Ankh-Amen's garments.

SPLENDID WORK CARRIED ON BY ROTARY CLUB IS STRESSED IN ANNUAL SERMON

In connection with the observance of their anniversary, members of the Portsmouth Rotary club attended the evening service at All Saints church yesterday and were addressed by Rev. Arthur E. Angier Powell, rector of the parish, who spoke on "Rotary and the Changing World Order."

After referring to the many problems that confront the world today and insisting upon the fact that they were a real menace to peace and good will, the speaker said that International Rotary was making a real contribution to the life of the day and was helping to solve the national and international problems that confront all peoples. The rector spoke of the high ethical standards that Rotary had established in business; of the altruistic and humanitarian spirit that had inspired its work for crippled children and of the fact that Rotary was an International order of brotherhood and for this reason was in a position to do important work in the sphere of international relations. "Rotary," said the speaker, "has a very real part to play in the world. That of helping to establish the kingdom of righteousness, justice and peace among men of good will."

Court House

Given Another Chance
Oris E. Mauk, of Tenth and Washington streets, who was recently sentenced to the Mansfield Reformatory, under his plea of guilty to a charge of non-support, was given another chance by Judge Thomas Monday, when the sentence was suspended and the accused was released from custody on his promise to take care of his wife and child in the future.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, Monday, Feb. 19, 1923

STATIONS	Wind	Temp	Bar	Rel. Hum.	Clouds	Time	Light	Water	Ice	Remarks
Franklin	15	24F	0.4							
Lock No. 7	20	11.7F	1.2							
Pittsburg	22	8.9F	1.1							
Dan No. 13	8	8.4F	0.3							
Zanesville	25	3.7F	0.3							
Parkersburg	30	0.4F	7.0							
Dan No. 20	1	19.5F								
Huntington	50	19.5F	7.8							
Ashtabula	50	23.5F	7.8							
Portsmouth	50	23.1F	6.9							
Cincinnati	52	20.3F	3.6							

Given Divorce and Former Name
Mattie Hanes has been granted a divorce from Herbert Hanes and returned to her former name of Chapman according to an approved entry filed in the office of the clerk of courts Monday. The decree was granted on the ground of neglect and willful absence. The wife was represented by Attorney T. C. Deatty.

Gets Suspended Jail Sentence
When Frank Castrol appeared in Common Pleas court Monday he changed his plea from not guilty to guilty of a charge of non-support, and Judge Thomas sentenced him to six months in jail. The sentence was later suspended when the defendant arranged to pay his wife the sum of \$7.50 a week for the support of their two children.

Motion Overruled
Judge Thomas has overruled the motion of the defense in the paternity suit of Dora Mosley against Michael Hanes, according to an entry filed in the office of the clerk of courts Monday. The motion sought to have the action dismissed on the ground that the complaint was at the time of the filing of the proceedings a married woman.

Jury Cases Continued
The absence of material witnesses for the state in several criminal cases, which were scheduled to be heard in Common Pleas court this week, Judge Thomas caused Judge Thomas to grant the application of Prosecutor Skelton to vacate the assignments Monday and continue the cases for trial until a later date. Among the cases which were to have been heard were those of Charles Bagg, charged with the larceny of a watch from Chas. McElroy, and Thomas Murphy, who was indicted for larceny by the recent grand jury for larceny.

To Start On Terms
Charles Bellow and Russell "Tommy" Robinson who were recently sentenced to the penitentiary on their plea of guilty to charges

brought against them, will be taken to the big prison in Columbus Tuesday by Sheriff Harry M. Dunham and Deputy Clerk of Courts John W. Hall, the latter making the trip as a special guard.

Dever Taken Into Custody
Apprehended by the Franklin county sheriff in Columbus yesterday, Herbert Dever, Madison township young man was returned to Portsmouth Monday by Deputy Sheriff Carl Schneider to answer to an indictment charging him with malicious destruction of property.

Merle Sudbrook, who was jointly indicted with Dever for the same offense voluntarily surrendered to Sheriff Dunham this afternoon. The young man are accused of hounding to L. C. McDaniels with rocks and smashing a number of windows.

Liquor Offender Fined
Sherman Odle, West Side farmer, who was arrested by county officers several days ago for violating the dry law by possessing material for the manufacture of liquor, pleaded guilty when brought before Judge George S. Morgan Monday and he was passed a fine of \$300 and costs. Odle arranged to pay and was released from custody.

Girl Charged With Fighting
Chara Hall, 14 years old, was taken into custody of her home in the North End Monday by Probation Officer Firman Gilliland and brought to the juvenile ward in the county jail where she is held to answer a delinquency complaint in connection with fighting.

Marriage License
Norman Bliss, 22, truck driver, city and Minnie Lerebrier, 27, housekeeper, city, Rev. William Lawhorn.

Merchon Says He Pulled Little Jobs And Got Away Easy; Pulls Big One; Nabbed

Relative to the confession Clay Merchon, aged 20, of this city, made in the part he played in a recent pay roll robbery in Cincinnati, the Post of that city says:

The confession, police reported, came after hours of grilling by Kirgan and Leonard Hays and Michael McShane, detectives.

Merchon, they said, broke down and admitted his part in the robbery when shown a telegram from New Orleans.

Another Man Held
The message told of the arrest of James Maloney, 28, of 2015 Marsh avenue, Norwood.

The slouts also informed Merchon they had found \$865 of the money in a West-end house, where he is said to have concealed it.

"You got me, n. c.," Merchon said, according to co-defendants. "Another man and I 'stuck' up the payroll. I am sorry now that I did it." He is quoted as saying, "I was sorry the next day. If you hadn't got me I intended taking the \$865, all that I had left of my share, \$1280, and go to Newport and get in a crap game. If I was lucky I proposed to pay the Meyer Co. back the entire \$3800. It's too late now. But if they will give me a job as truck driver I'll work for nothing until the money is all paid back," the confession says, it is charged.

Tells Of Career
"I'll tell you, men, there's nothing in this being a bandit. It only gets you into trouble. I did a lot of petty things around town. Then I decided to 'pull' one big job and see if I could get away with it. But I didn't," the reported confession continues.

"A week before the holdup the other man and I looked over the 'ground.' We discovered that Henry Schaefer, the paymaster, had to carry the pay envelopes across the street to the factory. It looked easy and we decided on the robbery. The other man and I loitered in front of the office until Schaefer and his assistant came out. We both drew guns and snatched the boxes containing the money."

"A third man, a stranger to me, was driving our auto. He was waiting at Bank and Linn streets. We drove to Fifteenth street and Central avenue, split the money and parted. I got \$1250."

Tip To Youths
"This sounds like old 'stuff.' But I wish young fellows would take a tip from me and never be tempted. Petty stealing only leads to big things and greater trouble. I'm through as a thief. When I got out I'm going straight from now on."

Merchon was arrested in Portsmouth, O., and returned here on warrant, charging robbery, Martin Gerber, a Meyer truck driver, identified him as one of the bandits. Until Friday he maintained his innocence. He has been arrested several times, police say.

Has Recovered
John Payne, N. and W. engineer, who lives on Center street has recovered from an attack of grip.

Bomb Home of Free State Official



Here are shown the remains of the Dublin home of Solicitor Carrigan of the Free State after it had been bombed by rebels. A dressing gown which Solicitor Carrigan holds in his hand, was the only garment found intact.

Dog Is Killed
The valuable bull dog of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Goodman, of Second street was killed Saturday when it was run over by an automobile.

Kidnapped



Rewards have been offered to stimulate the search for the abductors of Sister Cecelia (above), kidnapped from the Notre Dame Academy at Frederick, Md., who later escaped from her abductors in Baltimore.

Taxi And Auto Crash

Machines driven by Miss Mabel Dearford, 1829 Baird avenue and Ralph Keyser of the Rollins Taxicab Company collided at Ninth and Oxford streets about eight o'clock Monday morning. The touring car driven by Miss Dearford had a front wheel broken while the running board and fender of the taxi were damaged. Miss Dearford was enroute to her school at Friendship.

Foot Mashed
Vernon Gregory, steel plant employee, of 2019 Walnut street, East Portsmouth, suffered a mashed right foot Sunday while at work. A heavy bar of iron fell on his foot.

New Lumber Company
The Driveway Lumber Company of Winchester has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$50,000. The incorporators are H. H. Mechin, J. P. Mechin, C. O. Williams, Marjorie Williams and Mrs. H. H. Mechin. The members of the new firm are well known in Portsmouth.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Ella Dunham, wife of Vincent Dunham, grocer, Sixth and Court streets, is quite ill at her home, 519 Fourth street, from a severe attack of influenza.

MASONS TO OCCUPY SPECIAL COACH

A special coach attached to N. & W. train No. 35, leaving here at 7:05 a. m., will be occupied by Portsmouth Masons and their wives, who will leave here Tuesday morning for Cincinnati, where the Scottish Rite and Shrine degrees will be conferred on a class of eight local candidates.

The Portsmouth crowd will number at least fifty people and they are anticipating a great time during their

stay in the Queen City, which will cover the entire week. Others are expected to go down during the week to witness a part of the work. Cincinnati Masons have planned a week of splendid entertainment for the women in the party. They will witness all the good shows and be given several auto tours, weather permitting. The Portsmouth people will be quartered at the Gibson and Metro hotels.

Local Merchants To Attend "Dollar Day" In Huntington

The "Dollar Day" committee, consisting of E. C. Hood, B. G. Harris, St. Straus and H. H. Winter, appointed by the retail division of the Chamber of Commerce to arrange for local merchants to attend "Dollar Day" at Huntington, next Wednesday, made a round of the local merchants Monday morning, and reported that at least thirty merchants would make the journey.

They believe this number will be increased to forty when the start is made on the five o'clock train Wednesday morning. The merchants are enthusiastic over the visit, for reports from Huntington are to the effect the day is going to be the biggest mercantile event in the history of the growing city. It will start early, and according to Charles Anderson the main show will be over by noon—hence the absolute necessity of the local merchants getting there early.

All sorts of fun will, no doubt be pulled during the journey. A real quarrel will go along and there will not be a death of musical numbers. The Portsmouth party will be met at the Kenova depot by a special traction coach which will proceed to Huntington without any stops. It is planned to return to Portsmouth via the C. & O., getting here at 2 o'clock. However, the Huntington Chamber of Commerce may prolong the entertainment for Portsmouth people and it may not be concluded in time to permit returning at so early an hour. While the local committee has endeavored to personally see all merchants concerning the journey, should any have been overlooked they are kindly asked to get in touch with any member of the committee who will provide railroad tickets to Kenova.

HUNDLEY HONORED BY ODD FELLOWS

O. J. Hundley of 925 Seventh street has been elected representative for district No. 8, Grand Encampment of Ohio, I. O. O. F., for a term of two years. Mr. Hundley will go to

Youngstown in July to the Grand Encampment of Ohio, which will be in session there. He received his commission today from Riley Miller, grand senior warden, Dayton, O.

Giant Pitchers After More Salary; Refuse To Sign Up

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Six hold-out members of the New York Giants pitching staff were missing today when the advance guard of military men trained for Marlin, Texas, preliminary to establishment of the regular training camp at San Antonio.

Jess James, Jack Scott and Art Neft, twirling stars of the last world's series were the regulars who did not report as a result of the club's edict barring all unsigned players from training camps. Virgil Barnes, Bill Ryan and Jack Bentley, the \$65,000 star purchased from Baltimore, also remained behind.

Deplores Strife In Ireland

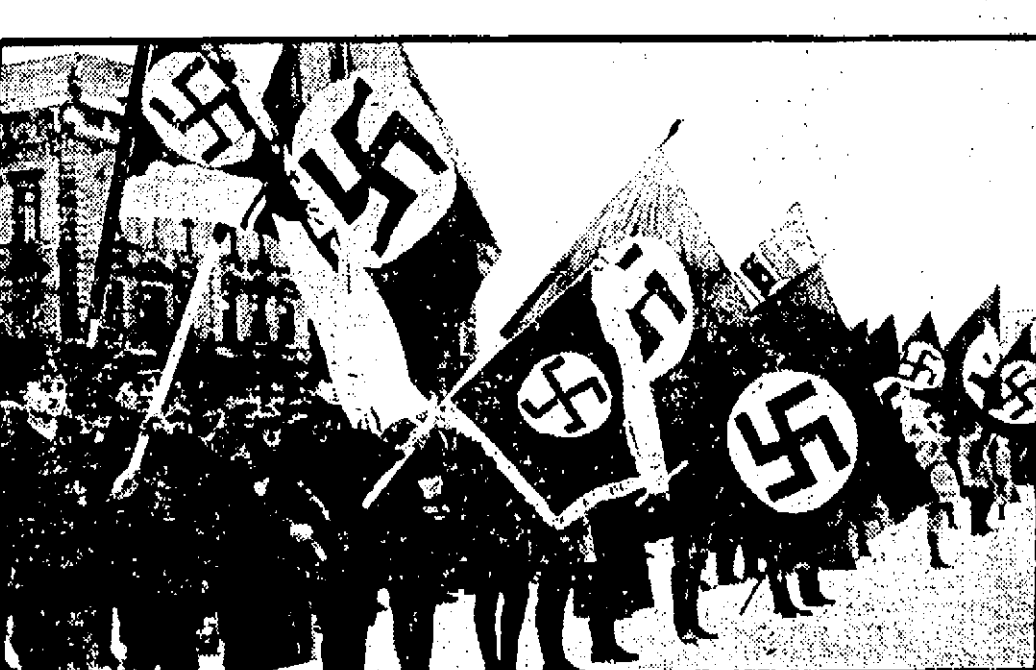
DUBLIN, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—The bishop of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Killala, deplores in his Lenten pastoral the strife in Ireland, and says that no end, however noble, could justify murder, robbery and wanton destruction of life and property.

Judge Parker On Honeymoon



Judge Alton B. Parker, Democratic candidate for the presidency in 1904 who was married a short time ago in New York, is shown here with his bride on their honeymoon at Palm Beach.

German Fascisti Consecrate Their Emblems



This group, just arrived from Munich, the political storm center of Germany, shows the Hitlerites, or Bavarian Fascisti preparing to demonstrate in the Bavarian capital. Clashes between the Hitlerites and socialists are momentarily expected.

Cottage Prayer Meetings

There is a list of the places for holding cottage prayer meetings before the opening of the gospel crusade on Thursday night. After the crusade begins the cottage prayer meetings will be held in the mornings twice a week as usual on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9:30 until 10:00. Cards in the windows will announce the places of the meetings.

Arrangements involving the change from evening to morning meetings will be in the hands of the District superintendents.

GENERAL CHAIRMAN

Rev. H. Stewart Tills.

District No. 1—Rev. Chas. E. Chandler.

District No. 2—Rev. Gerald Culbertson.

District No. 3—Rev. E. H. Dailer.

District No. 4—Rev. L. M. Kayser and Rev. C. W. Brady.

District No. 5—Rev. Chas. Severinghaus and Rev. Wm. Millikan.

District No. 6—Rev. Chas. E. Chandler.

Errett Burton, 251 Second street.

Rev. Gerald Culbertson, leader.

Mr. Alfred Briggs, 710 Third. Mrs. W. H. Barbee, leader.

District No. 2

District Leader—Rev. Gerald Culbertson.

Mr. John Breece, 536 Eighth. Mr. Gilbert Dadds, leader.

E. M. Feiter, 111 Sinton. Gilbert Dadds, leader.

A. D. Troxel, 1118 Fourth street. Mrs. Marie Evans, leader.

Marion Præsch, 913 Third. Walter Baeby, leader.

Mrs. Peterson, Sixth and Officers.

Mrs. J. T. Smith, leader.

Dr. H. F. Dean, 1118 Second. Mrs. Alice Gere, leader.

W. G. Hartz, 1122 Eighth street. George D. Selby, leader.

District No. 3

District Leader—Rev. E. H. Dailer.

John Williams, 1208 Chillicothe. Mrs. Williams, leader.

Thomas Coe, 1323 Lincoln street. Mrs. Mattie Lynn, 1612 Grant. A. W. McQuinn, leader.

Mr. A. J. True, 1722 Waller. Mrs. Stelling, leader.

Mrs. W. A. McCarty, 1321 Waller.

Mr. W. A. McCarty, leader.

Mr. W. B. Woten, 823 Eleventh.

Mr. Noah Williams, leader.

District No. 4

District Leader—Rev. L. M. Kayser and Rev. C. W. Brady.

Mrs. Edgar Jones, 1515 Eleventh. Mrs. Albert Graf, leader.

Mrs. Retta Haren, 1706 Twelfth. Rev. L. M. Kayser, leader.

Mrs. Oopen, 1111 Lawson. Rev. E. H. Brady, leader.

Mrs. Howard York, 1610 Fifth. Miss Mayme Hewitt, leader.

Miss Kittie Jones, 1523 Third. E. W. Richards, leader.

A. B. Plummer, 1696 Jackson. Miss Ollie Eannery, leader.

Mrs. C. N. Smith, 716 Adams. Mrs. R. M. Ferguson, leader.

District No. 5

District Leader—Rev. Chas. Severinghaus and Rev. Wm. Millikan.

Mrs. Wm. Swabry, 1825 Highland avenue. Mrs. Kirkendall, leader.

Mrs. A. F. Ashenburt, 1832 High street. Mrs. J. R. Cooner, leader.

Mrs. A. J. Cropper, 1815 Robinson avenue. Earl Wendelken, leader.

Mr. C. E. Ricker, 1808 Hutchins.

Rev. C. E. Severinghaus, leader.

Mr. Clark Waller, 1925 Timmonds.

Mrs. Chas. Rice, leader.

Case Amicably Settled

The case of Miss Gertrude Young, 23 years old, arrested at her home in Cincinnati and returned here on a charge of larceny in connection with the alleged theft of a suit case and two dresses belonging to Nellie Jansen, was amicably settled in Municipal court this afternoon upon payment of the costs and returning to the complainant the wearing apparel claimed by her.

The brief hearing disclosed that both the complainant and accused were actresses and came to this city together last November. Six weeks ago Miss Young, who said her stage name was Julia Story, went to Ashland to fill an engagement, but took sick and went to her home in Cincinnati, taking with her the other girl's clothing which had been left in her care. The defendant denied that she intended stealing the clothing.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

The Ketchum Auxiliary at its January meeting elected the following officers: President, Mrs. F. E. Bower; Vice President, Mrs. E. C. Tucker; Secretary, Mrs. Edmund Haas; Treasurer, Mrs. Paul Revere; Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. John Lowry; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Janet Silcox; Secretary of Literature, Mrs. C. M. Rousch.

There will be a Martha Washington party given by the Opportunity Girls on Monday evening, February 19, at the church. All girls over eighteen years of age are cordially invited. A good time is in store for you.

At the February meeting the Ladies' Aid Society elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Albert Marling; Vice president, Mrs. W. S. Holtenbeck; Secretary, Mrs. Fred Baker; Treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Bothwell.

The officers of the Woman's Missionary Society are as follows: President, Mrs. H. A. Wright; Vice President, Mrs. W. A. Quinn; Secretary, Mrs. Bertha Blood; Treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Bothwell.

Young People

The Boy Scouts will meet in the Gymnasium Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

The Girls' Basketball Team will meet at 7:00 p. m. promptly Tuesday night.

TO MOVE FAMILY HERE MARCH 1

D. F. Peters, new superintendent of this division of the N. & W., made his first business trip to Columbus Monday. He will move his family here March 1 and will occupy the N. & W. property on Waller street to be vacated by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Weller. Mr. Weller is now superintendent of the general western division of the N. & W.

TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Members of the Rotary Club will hold anniversary services in the Elks' Club tonight at 6 o'clock, when an appropriate program will be rendered. As a few surprises will be sprung, every member is urged to be present.

Oil Company Incorporates; Local Men Are Interested

Attorney Mark Crawford, Wiley A. Riffe of this city, V. A. Talbot of Wellston, H. H. Mecklin of Winchester and B. F. Cook of Hampden are the incorporators of the Churn Creek Oil and Gas company, which was incorporated with a capital stock of \$125,000. The company intends to develop oil and gas wells near Churn Creek, Adams county.

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Suitors Fight; One Fined

David E. Romaine was fined \$11.20 in Municipal court Monday for fighting and Scott McDowell was dismissed when it appeared that Romaine was the aggressor. Romaine pleaded not guilty to a charge of discharging firearms and he will be given a hearing Tuesday on this charge. It was claimed the two men had trouble over a young lady.

Two Directors Resign

When a meeting of directors of the Portsmouth Automobile Club was held Monday morning for the purpose of electing officers, Secretary T. J. Coe reported that two of the newly elected directors Ben Dillou and Ford C. Fuller had resigned. Efforts to fill the vacancies this morning failed and it will be necessary to let the reorganization plans go until the March meeting. By that time it is hoped to have the two vacancies filled.

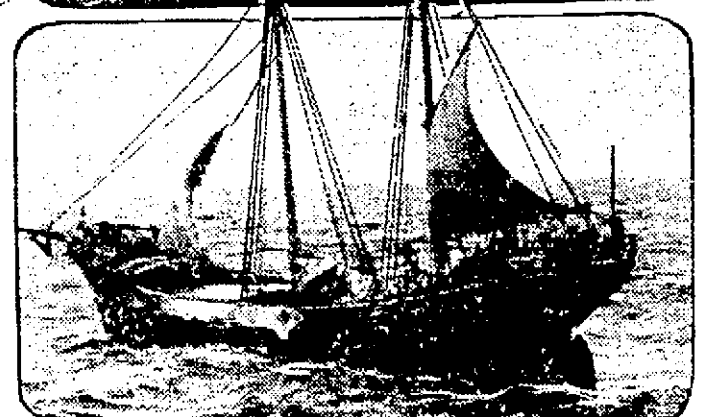
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Widow Of Colonel Vance Dies

GALLIPOLIS, O., February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Mrs. John L. Vance, 74, widow of the late Colonel John L. Vance, former congressman, and president of the Ohio Valley Improvement Association, died here today. John L. Vance, Jr., a Columbus banker, and two other sons survive.

LONDON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Former Prime Minister Lloyd George, in the debate in the house of commons today characterized the French action in the Ruhr as a repetition of the psychological blunder the Germans made in 1914. He contended it was essential that America should participate in the solution.

Oh, For A Life At Sea!



Danger! Mystery! Thrill! It's all in the day's work for the men who ply the seas. Above, the ice-covered S. S. Maungalia slowly making her way into port after a stormy trip across the Atlantic. Center, "mystery ship" of the leading fleet partially dismantled after a storm off Sandy Hook. Her crew was saved from death by the timely passing of the liner "Vasar." Below, the S. S. Sagan, which caught fire at her pier in Hoboken, N. J., is shown leaving from her mooring and drifting down the North River.

Tidal Wave Sweeps Hawaii



The tremendous strength of the tidal wave which spread destruction among Pacific Islands is shown by this photo just received from Hawaii. Photo shows the remains of the Pacific Club of Hawaii after it had been washed 50 feet from its foundation by the great wave of water which swept up the Waiala river from Hilo Bay.

Speeder Fined; Police News

C. G. Brown, charged with street begging, accepted Judge McCall's offer to leave town by nightfall and he was ordered released from custody.

William "Sug" Barber, arrested for intoxication, made such a strong

appeal for another chance when he was brought into Municipal court that he won Judge McCall who let the prisoner go on his promise to leave town.

Luther Shannon was found to be guilty of speeding at a hearing in

Municipal court Monday and he was fined \$5 and costs and he was taxed the costs for parking his auto too close to a fire plug.

James W. Delany, crippled pencil vendor, charged with intoxication and disorderly, promised to leave town and he was ordered released.

Grotto Performers Visit Selby Plant

The weekly sing hour at the Selby factory restaurant Monday was turned over to a feature program given by the Grotto indoor circus performers under the direction of manager W. H. West. The Flying Lazzaras, Bert Geyer who is a balancer extraordinary, the trained dog, Eddie Raymond and circus orchestra furnished the program of entertainment for the 700 factory employees who crowded into the factory dining hall.

Will Address Institute

County Farm Agent W. F. Gahn will be one of the speakers at Independent Farmers' Institute to be held in Franklin township, Jackson county, Thursday and at Beaver, Pike county, Friday. Thursday he will have for his subject, "Factors Influencing Profits of Farmers of

Southeastern Ohio" and "Developing Young Orchards." Friday he will use the first subject and "Community Cooperation." Mr. Gahn based his first talk on farm management work in this county during the past four years.

Old Auto Tags Are Tabooed; Five Drivers Reminded Monday

Trainmen

Are Killed

DOVER, O., February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Engineer Duckworth and Fireman Hart, both of Massillon, were instantly killed this morning when a Baltimore and Ohio freight engine jumped the track at Freepert, 25 miles from here and plunged down a steep bank into a creek. The bodies were recovered.

In Municipal court Monday Roy Holan was penalized to the tune of \$5 and costs under his plea of guilty of a charge of reckless driving. He was arrested on complaint of Capt. Lee Startzman.

H. E. Maupier, N. B. Griffin, Earl Cunningham, Fred Klingman and Carl Mook, charged with violating the auto registration law by driving their machines with 1922 license plates, were released by Judge McCall in Municipal court Monday.

Forfeit Bonds

In Municipal court Monday Jack Tucker was handed the usual fine of \$11.20 for intoxication, while William Dunn, Harry Schweiger, Roy Ramsey, Ed Stanton and James Pierce, arrested for drunkenness, failed to appear and their bonds were declared forfeited.

BIRTHS

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Keller of Ashland, Ky., who formerly resided in Portsmouth. Dorothy May is the name given to the eight pound, daughter born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beadle of 3764 Rhodes avenue New Boston. Mr. Beadle is employed in the steel plant.

Lose Strategic Battle

WASHINGTON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Proponents of the shipping bill lost a strategic battle today, the senate voting 43 to 42, not to table a motion by Senator Ladd, Republican, North Dakota, to lay aside the shipping legislation and take up the wheat bill.

CHARGES CLIQUE OF ATTORNEYS BUY AND SELL INFLUENCE OF CONGRESSMEN

WASHINGTON, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Charges that a clique of lawyers in New York City buy and sell the influence of senators and representatives without their knowledge, was made today before the house rules committee by Chairman Johnson of the house immigration committee.

"There is in New York City," said Mr. Johnson, "a place absolutely known as the 'den of forty thieves,' a building full of lawyers who make a living representing to persons that for stated sums they can obtain the influence of members of congress. I know of one case where friends of an immigrant were told that for

\$1,000 the influence of a certain member of the house could be had to get the immigrant into the country under bond. I know that the member of the house has no knowledge of this matter. These lawyers got the money and got the man in under bond without ever going near the representative whose influence they claimed they could obtain."

"Why has not that case been prosecuted?" asked Chairman Campbell. "It will be prosecuted," replied Mr. Johnson, "just as soon as possible." "It should have been prosecuted without delay," declared Mr. Campbell.

"This is a matter of vital importance to every member of congress," Chairman Johnson returns that this was only one of many cases that had been called to his attention, and that he was working on them night and day. The immigration committee chairman was explaining the provisions of the proposed new immigration restriction law for which he was urging privileged status in the house. He said that this new law would do away with the practice of admitting aliens under bond and that he believed that if the house passed it, senate action could be obtained before the end of this session of congress.

Grotto Circus Opens; Real Show

Every night this week the Grotto circus will be staged in the Winter Garden, Gallia and Bond streets. There was a splendid attendance Saturday night when the big show opened, the paid admissions totaling 1065. The program each night

begins at 7:30 o'clock and the general admission is ten cents, with an extra charge for reserved seats. The circus acts are held on the big stage in the south end of the hall. Enticing the hall are a number of refreshment booths.

Everyone who attends is assured a good time, for the committee in charge is on the job every night to see that nothing is left undone that will make for wholesome fun.

In Effort To Get Cheaper Gas New Boston Appeals To High Court

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 17.—The village of New Boston, Scioto county, today appealed to the state supreme court from an order of the state public utilities commission fixing the rate to be charged for natural gas by the United Fuel Gas Company at forty cents per unit.

The city alleges the rates are unreasonable inasmuch as the company under a 30 cent rate in 1919 paid a dividend of 38 per cent and in 1920 under a temporary forty cent rate, paid a dividend of 48 per cent.

This action by the village was the result of the State Public Utilities Commission's refusal to re-open the case for another hearing. The Gas Company appealed to the Public Utilities Commission after the village Council passed an ordinance fixing the rate at 30 cents net. The Commission decided in favor of the United Fuel Gas Company and when the commission refused to grant the village's plea for a rehearing Village Solicitor J. Alden Staker filed an appeal in the Supreme Court on instructions from Council.

SOCIETY

The members of Group One of the Eastern Stars will serve a chicken supper Thursday evening from five o'clock until eight, on the sixth floor of the Masonic Temple. The price will be 50 cents per plate. The menu will consist of chicken pot pie, mashed potatoes, escalloped corn, cold slaw, jelly, hot biscuits, coffee and coconut pie. Anyone desiring tickets can obtain them by calling 1644-R.

Mrs. L. P. Haldeeman and daughter, Miss Helen, of Gallia street, are spending a few days with relatives in Wheeling, W. Va.

Louis Damon, a student at Ohio State, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Damon, of Bannock Heights.

The monthly social of the L. A. to the O. R. C. will be held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. W. Crookshanks, 1410 High street, instead of on Wednesday afternoon, as previously announced. The assistant hostesses will be Mrs. E. C. Davis, Mrs. Frank Dearb and Mrs. Richard Cyrus.

Mrs. Joseph Fritz and children, Harold and Juanita, and small nephew, Howard Green, of Eleventh street, and Mr. Joyce Gregory of Gallia avenue, were dinner guests today of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gregory of Walnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Williams (Pearl Sponser) of Williamson, W. Va., announce the birth of a 10 1/2 pound son this morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Sponser, 112 Glover street. Mr. Williams is a well known baker.

Mrs. Jacob Holstetter, who has been ill with an attack of the grip at her home, 812 Grimes avenue, is improving.

Terminals Church News

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet Wednesday afternoon for work. All ladies should be present to help.

Cottage prayer meetings will be held Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. B. C. Boyd, 2812 Gallia street, with Mrs. W. T. Carter as leader. This is for members of all churches, and the pastor hopes to see a good attendance of our people. A very important matter is to be discussed after the prayer service.

There will not be any prayer meeting at the church on Wednesday evening. Most of the folks who would be at prayer meeting ought to be down at the chorus rehearsal for the Crusade meetings. Let all of our people who can sing join the chorus and help. The chorus rehearsal will be held at the new Universal Garage Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Sunday school will be held as usual every Sunday during the Crusade meetings, but there will not be any evening services at the church. Everybody go to the union meetings on Sunday evenings.

Hammond May Go To Japan

HONOLULU, February 19.—(By the Associated Press)—It is reported in Tokyo that John Hays Hammond, mining engineer, and millionaire, is to be named American ambassador to Japan, to succeed Ambassador Charles R. Beecher Warren, according to the cablegram from Tokyo, received by the Japanese newspaper Nippon Jiji of Honolulu.

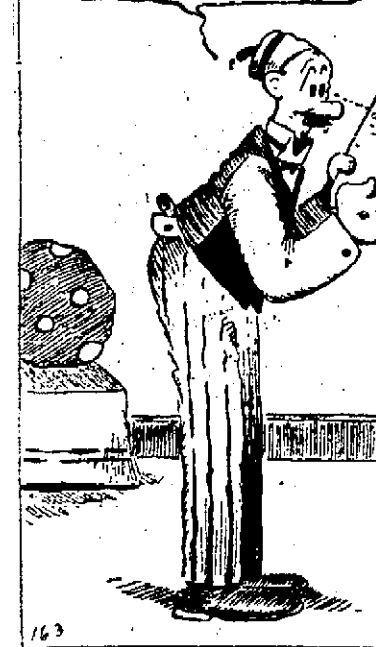
Time Changes Them

"No, I positively will not travel over that snaky O. N. T. railroad again. It has too many long, dirty tunnels."

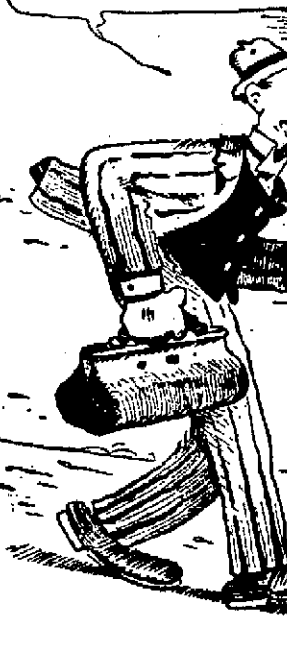
"You never said that before we were married. In fact, you didn't want to travel over any other road."

MUTT AND JEFF

A LETTER FROM BUD.
HE SAYS FOR ME TO MEET
JEFF BY THE LIGHTHOUSE
CLUB AT TEN O'CLOCK!



WE MUST BE GOING ON A
TRIP BECAUSE BUD TOLD
ME TO TAKE ALONG A COUPLE
OF CLEAN COLLARS.



WHY THE
SPADES
GONNA
WORK IN
A SEWER?



NO, YOU AND
I ARE GONNA
HELP BIG OUT
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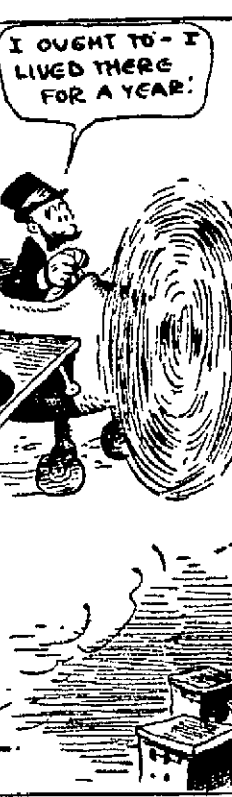
YES, TUT. PHARAH
TUTANKHAMEN THE
OLD KING. I CALLS
HIM TUT FOR SHORT.
WE LEAVE FOR
CAIRO AT ONCE.



DO YOU KNOW
THE WAY TO
CAIRO?



BY BUD FISHER

Adams Will Help
Pirates' Chances

By NEA Service
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 19.—The decision of Bill Adams to postpone his retirement from the majors for another year, means considerable to the chances of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

While Adams no longer has the stamina to work every third or fourth day, he will be able to help out at various times when the rest of the staff is hard pressed. In addition as a rescue twirler, to work on inning or two, he should be able to save many a game.

Aside from his work as an active participant, Adams will be of much assistance to Manager McKelvie in the development of the young pitchers. Adams knows how to pitch and has the knack of imparting his knowledge.

Billy Evans Says

With the spitball dying a slow but sure death, another peril faces the batsmen in baseball.

I have reference to the knuckle ball or finger nail ball or whatever other title you may care to give it.

Pitching in major league circles has in cycles as to style of delivery. It is constantly changing to meet the new situations that arise.

Twenty years ago the fast ball was the big thing. It was considered most effective when kept high on the batter. Cy Young and Amos Rusie are the two best examples I could offer of that style of pitching. They were equally famous in their day.

Then came the spitball. At first it was only used by a few pitchers because of the great difficulty in controlling it. Pitchers who didn't use it, feared the delivery, went through all the preliminary motions, because of the psychological effect on the batters.

The spitball was the first of the unnatural or so-called trick deliveries. Scores of attempts to make the ball take puzzling twists were soon invented by the brainy twirlers of the majors. Their views soon went down the line to the minors and amateurs.

Not so many years ago pitching was largely a matter of trickery. The curve and fast ball were little used. A majority of the pitchers were using new fangled deliveries, most of which were made possible through trickery or to be more emphatic, cheating.

The spitball as well as most other trick deliveries are most effective when broken low on the batter. This fact caused pitchers who did use a fast ball and curve as their stock in trade to switch to the low ball. At present the fast ball kept low is regarded as more effective than the fast ball, high and inside, of 30 years ago.

Cheating on the part of the pitchers became so prevalent that it was necessary to curtail their activities. By cheating I mean the doctoring of the ball in some way to produce an unnatural break. The solution was the abolition of all trick deliveries, with the exception of the curve ball, and that all major league pitchers using the spitball should be permitted to continue same during their major league career. Only about a dozen still remain in the majors.

Then came the introduction of the lively ball. The lively ball plus the elimination of freak pitching, made for much more hitting. In fact, so much more that the making of a home run has become a feat rather than a feat.

Fast ball pitching is made to order for the batter with the lively ball in use. It soon became evident to the pitchers that they must mix them up. A slow ball is now a part of every successful big league pitcher's repertoire.

Last year the great success of Eddie Ruppel in winning 27 games with a near tail-end team, largely through a peculiar delivery, has caused most big league pitchers to experiment with the knuckle ball. Next year I venture to say that the knuckle ball will be used by a majority of the big league pitchers, not regularly, in the pinch. The knuckle ball, finger ball, or fork ball are sure to be all the rage the coming season.

NEW LEAGUE
NEWARK, O.—East Ohio baseball league, composed of eight teams, was organized. Games will be played on Sundays and holidays.

Huntington Beaten
Saturday night at Gallipolis the Huntington Hi five was defeated, 23 to 0. Huntington was without the services of Heberlein and Frost, the two best players on the team.

Blair In Training
N'Z Blair has resumed his training as he intends to have a match on hand early two weeks in the future. He is looking for a flock of sparring partners. Step lively, please.

Made Gains On Finish
HUNTINGTON, O., Feb. 19.—It took the Huntington Hi Tigers an extra five minutes to defeat Pomeroy Saturday evening but they finally came through with a 20 to 12 victory over their most formidable opponents of the year. The score stood 12-12 at the end of the four periods and an additional five minutes was snatched out for the best team to win. Pomeroy played real basketball then and made an additional eight points while holding the up-river team scoreless.

Chillicothe Hi Lones
The Chillicothe Hi basketball team was beaten at Hillsboro Friday night 35 to 22. It has been a rough season on the C. H. S. team.

Refused To Sign
Eddie Ruppel still refuses to sign his contract. It is said that he is asking for \$2,500 more than the club owners have offered him.

HUNTINGTON SPORT WRITER IS STRONG FOR BAESMAN'S SELECTS

Says Jude Is Real
Basketball Player

Duke Kideley in Sunday's Huntington Herald-Dispatch had the following complimentary write-up about the Baesman Selects along with a picture of Captain "Jude" Baesman:

"Well, well, well, if here aren't our old friends, the 'Portsmouth Selects' back in our midst. We haven't seen them in a long time and what's more to the point we're going to cut them off our basketball list if they don't start making their visits to Huntington more frequent during the next few weeks. It's been months and months, since Captain Jude Baesman chaperoned his quietest of leather pill-chasers to our fair hotel, and yet, the giant leader of the Buckeye raggers had the nerve to come around to the sports studio of The Herald-Dispatch last night and say hello, just as if he had been a regular caller every day in the week and twice on Sunday. We can't help but recall the last time the 'Portsmouth Selects' invaded Boostertown. It was almost a year ago since they ganked the Presbyterians, city league champions, at Vanity Fair by the score of 37-11.

We don't like to write these things any more than you like to read them but we have to be honest with ourselves and give you the right line of character. In fact, we were not even thinking about the 'Selects' until some smart aleck came thundering up the gang plank (the elevator was out of order) and announced that the sharpshooters from the Flood Wall city had kicked the stuffing out of each Beckelheimer's Morris Harvey collegians last night at Barboursville. Beating Morris Harvey is one of the easiest things that 'The Selects' do. This is the second time that the Buckeye quietest has shoved off from the 'Little Village on the Hill' with the skull cans of the rain, rain boys dangle loosely from their belts. If memory serves us right, it was these same 'Selects' that paid a short visit to the Marshall gym in 1922 and hung the old dance cap on the Green and White bombardiers without working hard enough to get up a respectable sweat. The fans of Montgomery and Mt. Hope also have a faint recollection of having been kicked in the mouth side of the anatomy by Jude Baesman's 'treat 'em right' crowd.

Jude Baesman is the cause of it all. If he'd keep his good-gosh-darn-quint in their own back yard and stop covering so much territory we wouldn't have to be fogging the kers of this ugly underworld on a subject that is far from being pleasing to the writer. Baesman is very big and very tall. He is captain and center of the 'Select Five'—an eight-handed dragon that gallops over the pine

lumber causing dismay to all rival clubs. In short, Jude Baesman is a basketball player of parts, meaning that he can do anything with the leather onion that any other athlete can do—and then some. A Portsmouth fan told us the other day that there were some other 'Jude Baesman's' in the making at Portsmouth High School. He is, of course, mistaken. Basket collectors like Jude don't come but once or twice in a life time.

Who Will Handle
Johnson's Shoots

Who will handle the speedy shoots of Walter Johnson during the coming season?

The recent trade between Washington and Boston of the American League which involved the transfer of Val Picinich deprives Johnson, of his battery mate.

Since joining the Washington Club three catchers have done practically all the receiving for the speed ball king, Charley Street, Eddie Ainsmith and Val Picinich.

Walter Johnson and Charley Street was the first battery to feature the famous Washington pitcher. As a matter of fact, much of Walter's early success was due to excellent handling on the part of Street.

ASHLAND KITTENS HAVE REAL BASKETBALL TEAM
ASHLAND, Feb. 19.—A total of 312 points have been piled up by the Ashland high school Kittens in eleven games thus far this season. While this seems to be rather a large figure, it is made more interesting by the number of points scored against the Kittens, a total of 63.

In these eleven games the Kittens suffered defeat but once and that was at the hands of the Trenton Tigers, 10 to 8, while playing guests' rules on a divided floor. It was not a true test of the ability of the Kittens as they in turn trounced the Trenton boys 26 to 15 on the local floor while playing real basketball.

The Kittens of 1923 are apparently as good as the Kittens of 1922. Despite the fact that the services of Gleason Woods, the greatest and best girl basketball player in Kentucky, were lost to them this year, Coach Jackson has welded together even a smoother working machine and one which shows even better teamwork than previous squads.

Club Owners Preved
Now comes the story that the Brooklyn club owners will sell or trade all holdouts. These are rough days on the holdouts, that club having all ready peddled two players who refused to sign.

Title Of Home-Run King Means
Nothing to Rogers Hornsby

By NEA Service
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 19.—Rogers Hornsby, star slugger of the St. Louis Cardinals, takes no great credit for his feat of de-throning Babe Ruth as the home-run slugger of the universe.

When asked if he believed he would again show the way in the matter of home runs to Babe Ruth he replied: "Never had a thought that I would be the home-run king at the start of the 1922 campaign. It all just happened. I was no better hitter last year than I was five years ago. Neither have I changed my style at bat.

"I just cut away at the ball in my usual manner, but I must admit it traveled much farther. Either the ball is much livelier or the pitching not so good, because I hit at them in the same old way."

Home runs mean nothing to Hornsby. He says a ringing single pleases him more than some pop fly that falls into a short stand for a fluke home run.

Hornsby wants to lead the National League in hitting again. As a matter of fact, he would like to shoot at some of the records now held by Cobb and Wagner.

He also would like to take part in a world series before he ends his career as a big leaguer. He rather fancies that he has a chance to get there in 1923.

Famous Fight Manager Says First
Good Boy To Meet Kilbane Has Chance

Jimmy Dunn, developer of champions, is of the opinion that the first real classy boy to meet the champion will win the title. It isn't a case of some grapes with Dunn. The famous manager of fighters regards Kilbane as one of the greatest fighters of all time, a fighter never fully appreciated by the public.

"Kilbane is one of those fighters who happen once in every fifty years. Fast on his feet, clever, the possessor of a master brain and the ability to hit hard any time he sees, explains why for over ten years Kilbane has towered over the featherweight divisions," says Dunn.

"There is an end to every champion, however, and sooner or later Kilbane must meet his superior. Jack Beaton, the old master, finally succumbed. It is the same with every champion, you can't postpone the finish forever.

Umpire Owens Takes Altrock Seriously
Which Proves Disastrous To Nicholas

ORDINARILY, the American League umpires get as much fun out of Nick Altrock's drolleries as do the spectators.

There is an exception, however, to every rule, and one day last summer Empire Brick Owens took Altrock seriously and Nick got the gate.

Washington and Boston were playing at the latter city. The game was a pitchers' battle and the score a tie when the episode happened that resulted in Nick's banishment.

Zachary was pitching for Washington, and with a runner on third, he made a motion that Owens interpreted as a balk. Brick so ruled, waving in the runner from third with

what proved to be the deciding tally of the game.

Altrock dashed madly from the bench to protest. Owens didn't wait for him to reach the plate before warning him to stop. In a loud voice Owens shouted:

"What do you know about balks? If you come up to the plate you are through!"

Nick stopped in his tracks, but he figured he still retained the right of speech and, imitating the manner of the umpire, shouted in an equally loud voice:

"To one knows more. I have been making balls all my life, fooling the umpires and getting away with it."

"Well, here is once the umpire isn't going to be fooled. You can go to the club and amuse yourself. You're not funny to me today."

Nick was through for the day.

BACK ON THE JOB
Captain Lowry Davidson has resumed his run on the Chillicothe-Weston accommodation and things begin to look natural when that train arrives. His faithful service all these years has won a soft spot in the hearts of the traveling public.—Wells-ton Sentinel.

BASKETBALL CLASSIC TO OPEN MARCH 9
Huntington's annual basketball classic will get under way on the afternoon of March 9, at 3 o'clock, which means that the "Third Tri-State Tournament," long recognized as the most important event combat billed for Southern West Virginia, will get set for the 1923 championship at the Marshall College gym in this city. All high school quintets in the Tri-State region and the Ohio Valley are eligible to enroll for the big bouts.

As usual it will take two days to run off the Tri-State tourney. Friday and Saturday, March 9 and 10 will be the dates on which the picked squads of sharpshooters from many schools will congregate in Huntington for the banner case carnival of the season. Valuable prizes, including loving cups, gold and silver medals, miniature silver basketballs and various other beautiful trophies will go to the winners.—Huntington Herald-Dispatch.

Knockout Mrs. of Cincinnati and Bud Christians of Chicago clash in a twelve round bout in Columbus tonight.

"BREAKS" BIG FACTOR IN BASEBALL

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—(United Press)—Bad luck is the first alibi of a poor loser. Winners as a rule make their own breaks, but the element of chance is really what makes all games a sport.

The "breaks" are considered the big thing in baseball and they are a bigger factor on the diamond perhaps than on any other field of athletics.

The "breaks" in baseball are not confined to the field, however.

Luck in getting players is more of a factor in building winning ball clubs than in polling home runs and pitching one hit games.

The New York Yankees have four of the finest scouts in the country. Their system of combing the bush leagues is the most expensive in baseball, but it has never returned a dividend of a nickel.

In eight years, the New York American League club has not discovered one real player. It is not the fault of the club and the scouts aren't to blame. They just didn't have the luck.

George W. Grant, owner of the Boston Braves, has given deep thought to the subject because his club can't afford to pay big money for developed stars and depends largely on what it can pick up in the rough.

One real find in two hundred chances is a fair average in baseball, he figures.

Some clubs have luck in gods.

In the last four years, the Cincinnati Reds have had phenomenal luck in getting great young players. In fact the Reds have gotten all the finds in the major league.

Pat Duncan, Pete Donahue, Harper, Thome, Fonseca and Pinelli are a huge assortment to pick up for nothing and the Reds did that very thing, for practically no outlay of cash was made.

John McGraw has turned up more star players perhaps than any other manager in the game, but he did not profit by it as he should have. McGraw always plays today's game to day and does not bother about tomorrow. He didn't have time to bother with Tommel, Ronsch, Grob and a flock of others and he turned them over to others to be polished and brightened for the future.

McBride, Weakest Hitter To Ever
Win Permanent Job In Big League

ALMOST every ball club, especially in the big leagues, has at least one "set up" in its battle front.

That is a player who never casts much fear into the opposition when ever he steps to the plate because he can't hit either in a pinch or out of one.

In other words, fellows who do well to massage the agate around the 235 mark.

It is doubtful if there was ever a more lamentably weak hitter to grace a big league plate than was George McBride, former manager of the Washington club, and for many years shortstop on the same team.

In the parlance of the game, George couldn't "hit the size of his hat," and burlers throughout the American League had a happy faculty of passing men, when in a pinch, just so as to get at McBride and let the strategy worked to perfection.

"Mac" simply couldn't swing the old apple. He wasn't what might be termed a "whiffer," usually being able to make connections with the ball, but he couldn't drive 'em safe. He was either popping out or sending meekly little tays to the infield. McBride was a consistent "200"

YANKS SIGN PITCHER
WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.—The American League insists on fortifying itself against the time when Walter Johnson will pass out of the majors.

For years the name of Walter Johnson has been a big attraction in the Johnsonian organization. Cobb, Johnson and Ruth have been great turnstile clickers.

Recently the wires carried the story that Johnson had returned his signed contract to the Washington club. Next year will make his sixteenth season in the American League.

Johnson, by the way, holds the major league records for shutouts. He has hung up 97 already. Before the close of the 1923 season he will have 100 and over to his credit. It will be the first time any major league pitcher has reached the 100 mark in shutouts.

On the day the Washington club announced the signing of Johnson the New York Yankees let the world know that another Johnson had been added to the American League.

The latest Johnson is a pitcher, a student at Bethel College in Kentucky. Last year he pitched for the American of the Dakota League. He is a fight handler.

To Play Greenfield
The next game for the P. H. S. boys' basketball five will be on Thursday night when they play in Greenfield, N. Y. This five walked over P. H. S. last season in the Greenfield game and expect to repeat the victory this season. Greenfield is always represented by a fast team.

The only other game on the boys' schedule is at Chillicothe on Friday, March 9.

Fight In Columbus
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BUREAU REPORTS DETAILS
OF 1922 TRAFFIC INCREASE

The increase of railway traffic in the first eleven months of 1922 compared with the same period in 1921 is seen in a summary of operating statistics of Class I railroads prepared by the Bureau of Railway Economics and just made public.

In the first eleven months of 1922 the total train-miles was 487,002,000 and in 1921 501,620,000. Freight car-miles in this period of 1922 were 18,291,014,000 and in 1921 18,800,078,000 or an increase of 501,004,000 freight car-miles.

The gross ton-miles, excluding locomotive and tender, increased from 702,490,580,000 in the first eleven months of 1921 to 736,062,502,000 in 1922, or an increase of 33,571,922,000 gross ton-miles.

The average number of freight cars per train in 1922 was 38.5 and in 1921 38.4 cars. The gross tons per train, exclusive of the locomotive and tender in 1921 was 1,441 tons and in 1922 1,469 tons. The percent of loaded car-miles to total car-miles in 1921 was 63 per cent and in 1922 67.3 per cent, or an increase of 4.3 per cent.

In the Eastern district the train miles increased from 184,571,000 in 1921 to 189,482,000 train miles in 1922. Freight car miles increased from 7,561,003,000 to 7,774,004,000, or an increase of 213,001,000 car-miles.

In the Southern district the train miles increased from 96,014,000 in 1921 to 102,320,000 in 1922, and the freight car miles from 3,364,282,000 to 3,654,034,000 car-miles.

In the Eastern district the per cent of loaded to total car-miles increased from 62.5 per cent in 1921 to 67.3 per cent in 1922, or an increase of 4.8 per cent.

The net tons per train in the Eastern district increased from 758 tons in 1921 to 765 in 1922. In the Southern district the net tons per train increased from 640 tons in 1921 to 677 tons in 1922.—Railroad Data, Feb. 9.

WHERE PUBLIC INTEREST AND
RAILROADS' INTEREST MEET

"In the public interest the railroad industry must rest upon its own foundations, and its revenues must be so constructively regulated that their operations will produce enough to pay fair wages, cost of materials, taxes, meet the fixed charges, pay a fair dividend, and leave a small margin to attract investors of new capital.

In other words, to obtain new railroad capital, the opportunities to earn and pay regular returns must exist, and railroad management must be encouraged to exercise the greatest initiative in improving and extending transportation facilities. Furthermore, conditions should be created whereby the sale of capital stock by the principal roads will become possible and the continued increase in funded debt will be minimized."—From the Report of the Joint Commission of Agricultural Inquiry.

WILLARD TO BOX
IN HUNTINGTON

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Feb. 19.—On March 15 the fight folks of Huntington will have a chance to gaze upon one of the toughest fighting machines in the country when Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion of the world, pays the good citizens of the Tri-State region a visit at Cliffside Park in one of his many ring exhibitions to be staged in this region during the next month. Along with the big box, who is hot on the trail of the mighty Jack Dempsey, will be many other ring notables and among them Floyd Johnson, conqueror of Bill Brennan and Bob Martin.

Pat Canepa, who is to have charge of the Cliffside exhibition, received a wire from Billy McWhirer yesterday assuring him that everything was all set for the March carnival and to whip things in shape for the 15th. For some weeks it has been rumored that Willard would include Cliffside in his country-wide tour, but until yesterday no verification of the report had been received by Promoter Canepa. Now that Big Jess' appearance here is a sure go, the ring fraternity of West Virginia, Ohio and Kentucky is all awbail and eagerly looking forward to the 15th.

It is planned to match Kid Layman with Nub Burt, the Portsmouth sensation, in the semi-windup, which, if could be done, would be a whale of a battle. Both boys are tough and hard to floor and as far as the dopsters can see, the fracs should be one of the fastest ever staged in the Kentucky ring.

LOTTI SOME BOWLER

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 19.—Sandsky, Fremont and Columbus bowlers endeavored to replace leaders in the Elks' National Bowling tournament here today.

E. Lott, of South Bend, Ind., went into first place in the singles yesterday with a score of 600. He also landed first place in the all events with 1845.

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TRONTON, Feb. 19.—State Prohibition enforcement operatives arrested Harrison unexpectedly on N. J. No. 22, Saturday evening and within an hour after their arrival had searched the soft drink stand of John Harrison, on north Second street. The search was rewarded. It was said, by discovery of a jar of moonshine. Harrison will be arraigned before Spirelimes. It has been about a week since the state agent left here.

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EDDIES' FRIENDS



The Guy Who Quit Early



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EDISON'S MIDDLE AGE

AT 76 Thomas A. Edison says he feels he is in middle age. He regards "three and ten" as unimportant and four score as by no means the limit. Yet he does admit that he has slowed down a bit. He even goes home to sleep instead of staying all night at the plant and resting a few hours on a couch. Because Edison has been possessed of remarkably rapid recuperative powers so that he could get along with little sleep has been due much of his accomplishment. He was able to work so many hours a day that he has lived at least twice his years, gauged by the time devoted to work by the average individual. His physique has matched his mental equipment. The ideal of the ancient Greeks was a sound mind in a sound body. Edison has given us an example of a superior mind in an unusually strong body and the physical equipment was not subordinate to the mental. It provided a perfect combination. But Edison has had more than either of these. He has had industry and persistence. No matter how great the brain or strong the body, unless these are used they are of no account. They are but instruments for a purpose and the purpose is achieved only by the expenditure of effort.

As far as wealth or achievement are concerned, Edison might have retired long ago. Many take that step long before the age of 76. Few persist longer. That he has worked on may be the very reason he feels that he is only in middle age. Breaking habits long established may be attended with serious results, and many a man has shortened his life by quitting too soon the employment in which his active years were spent. Most people, however, cannot travel at the pace set by Edison. They have not the facility in recuperation and must sleep much longer. They have not the physical strength to labor such long hours. They are not Edisons, but that does not argue that they do not fill a useful place in the world.

INCREASED CONFIDENCE

STOCK exchange quotations may be dry reading, but, as reported last week, they tell a significant story of increasing confidence in the value of American securities. In spite of disturbing rumors and threats of war from Europe, investors on this side of the Atlantic have read commercial and industrial signs as warranting them in backing their confidence with dollars.

Belief in the progress of the nation toward prosperity is unescapable. From every quarter and section and element and interest come reports of increasing business activity. The basic industries show returns on investment that speak for themselves and that promise more in the future. Unemployment has practically disappeared. Housing construction is going ahead by leaps and bounds. In view of these things, investors are dull of vision, indeed, if they fail to see inviting opportunity.

WHERE LEGAL RIGHTS DON'T HELP

THE dictum of an associate justice of the supreme court of Maine, that pedestrians are not legally bound by the "look and listen" ruling applicable to railroad crossings when they venture across the street, is one of those legal rights that do not help any. If the pedestrian is run over by a truck through failure to look and listen, all the rulings of all the supreme courts in the world will not bring him back to life, if dead, or make him as good as ever if maimed.

However interesting from a legal standpoint the discussion of such rights may be, it will be wiser to avoid attempting to maintain them in casual crossings of congested streets. Of course, if the pedestrian is thinking only of his heirs it may be different, but for the ordinary person it will be well to stop and look and listen and keep on looking and listening when he or she ventures off the curb.

German government has sent France another note, but not a promissory one.

In Canada living costs are reported to have dropped. What is Canada's recipe?

Come's success shows that day by day Americans are becoming easier and easier in every way.

Twelve paper mills are busy supplying stock for German money. What a waste of good white paper!

Edison is only 76 yet he has cut down his working hours to 16 a day. He'll be playing hooky next.

Not being able to find any man who has done much for peace, the Nobel peace prize is given to a woman.

New York=Day-By-Day

BY O. O. MCINTIRE

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys:—Early up and to the pier to bid farewell to my wife, mother-in-law and cousin who sailed for Bermuda, and then to breakfast with H. C. Witwer, the scrivener.

Home and tried to do my stunt but P. Kelley and H. Webster there, feigning they were forced with drink, and sang "Silly Ditties" and so with them to the Brooklyn armory to a luncheon Marion Davies, the cinema actress, gave and she as comely as ever I saw her.

Took coach to the navy yard and roamed about among the big boats and fascinated with the vivid life aboard. Talked with an ancient mariner who declared William McFee wrote the only true-to-life tales of the sea.

Dined at home alone, my dog whining with loneliness for his mistress, and read far into the night. So to bed.

New York in popular imagination is remote from the happy paradise of hunters. Yet the other morning just two hours, by motor from Fort-Secund street wild deer appeared in the center of Peekskill Village seeking food.

And two loads of hay drawn by black oxen passed over West Thirty-Fourth street at noon one day last week. Doubtless it was a moving picture stunt, but it created a mild spasm of excitement among pedestrians.

There is no despot in Manhattan equal to the apartment house janitor. He is feared and petted by the tenant and in some instances his graft is more than quadruple his salary. He can collect from tradesmen who seek to enter his building. Also from the plumber, the grocer and butcher. The tenant's comfort in many instances depends upon the size of the monthly tip. The perfunctory housing shortage here is responsible for his despotism. Tenants know that it is almost impossible to find another place to live and so they submit to indignities. Of course, there are a few good janitors just as there are a number of good Indians and kind-faced bootleggers.

It is called the Art Mecca, or Bazaar de Junk, at No. 1 Sheridan Square. Here one may see the priceless Givette, the man in black—save for the few soap spots on the cravat—and his inspired daughter, Junonia.

Ebe Martin



Workin' never hurt nobody. It's what we do after the whistle blows that puts us on the hammer. It's considerable of a boy that don't come out of college too smart.

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Sappho. To Greenwich Village. Cillette is known as "The Man of Mystery." He can talk of art in symbol, if you get what we mean. He has written much that has not been published and he is wise to all phases of the higher thought. Sappho does octave dances. She is a vibrant young creature with wild bobbed hair and will only dance when the mood moves her. Then it is difficult to stop her. They are an interesting pair and a real highlight in the life of the d'nyg attics. The Art Mecca is one of the hang-outs of Conrado Massaguer, the eminent Cuban caricaturist, who is considered by many to be the best in the profession. With a deft, single line he can caricature any face so that it is immediately recognized by friends. The most celebrated caricaturists in New York, incidentally, aside from Massaguer, are Herb Roth, Al Frueh and Carlo Fornaro. Artists say that the art of caricature is one of the most difficult professions in the world. It is an art that is never acquired. It comes naturally—a gift. (Copyright 1922, By The McNaught Syndicate, Inc.)

Doc Koko's KOLUM

THE HUMBLE VOICE

Some like the voice of dancing waves
Upon a wide white shore,
Some like the wind among the pines,
And some the thunder's roar.

To some the voice of singing birds
Is light and melody,
Some choose the whisper of old leaves
That drift down dreamily.

I like the voice of common men
On common duties bent,
Who trade their little griefs and joys
And reap a brave content.

The voice of living lips that scorn
To trifle with despair,
That take the beauty from plain toll
As swallows take the air.

No speech with patient wisdom
fraught,
No flaming song I need—
Give me the voice of common men
Who love the lives they lead.
—Helen Frazee-Bower.

The Law's So Inquisitive

"Why do you want a divorce?" asked the lawyer.
"Oh, just because," said the fair visitor.
"Just because" is a good feminine excuse, but if you want to get the judge's serious attention you'll have to amplify it a little in court.

Three Words A Day

LETHARGY

Noun, leth-argi, accent on first syllable. A state of prolonged inactivity or torpor; inertness of body or mind.

PROLETARIAN

Noun, pro-le-tay-ri-an, accent on third syllable. A member of the poorest class of a community. One who is without capital or regular employment. Most frequently used in speaking of Europeans.

INCENTIVE

Adjective and noun, in-sen-tiv, accent on second syllable. Inciting; encouraging. As a noun, that which moves the mind or passion. Motive; spur; as, Pride is a powerful incentive to action.

(By The L. C. Reynolds' Service)

Time to Stop

Sinclair Lewis, author of "Main Street," is fond of lecturing as well as writing, and the best story he told us on his arrival here on America referred to an occasion when he was holding forth on the subject of matrimony.

"Mine has been an ideal marriage," he exclaimed, (while those whose marriages had not been ideal listened with pained interest). "My wife and I share our sorrows, our joys, our ambitions, our hopes—"

Then a Scotsman interrupted: "What a Scottish conversation, Mr. Lewis?" And it is reported that there was considerable silence.—Answers, London.

Record Breaking

An Irishman, who was to make a trip on a certain steamer, arrived at the pier just as the vessel was starting—in fact, she was already on the move.

Taking a flying leap, he covered the intervening space of six or eight feet at a bound, but tripped and struck his head on the deck, which temporarily stunned him.

When he recovered his senses, the vessel was a couple of hundred yards out at sea.

"Howdy Moses," he exclaimed, not realizing what had happened, "what a jump!"—Chronicle Telegraph.

A Head-liner

Bob—Jim Saunders is thinking of becoming an actor.

Beatrice—He hasn't any qualifications, has he?

Bob—Yes, indeed! A friend has just died and left him a full-lined overcoat.

Be Kind to Animals

All animals respond best to kind words.
Do the kindest deed you can today. Every kindness that you will do will make you happier.

Do all you can to prevent cruelty to animals.
You will always gain by doing kind acts.

Be kind to every living creature. Protect the weak, the dumb, and the defenseless.

Be a friend to every friendless creature. Speak for those who cannot speak for themselves.

Those Girls!
"Jack" complimented me on my complexion last night.
"Sort of a powder puff, eh?"

Transformation

A little rouge, a little curl, a powder box—a pretty girl. A bit of rain, away it goes. A homely girl, with freckled nose!

The Money's Worth

"Your constituents say your speeches are not as entertaining as they used to be."

"Well," replied Senator Sorghum, "they ought to be reasonable, and remember a man in my position doesn't draw the salary of a great public entertainer." — Washington Star.

GOOD MANNERS



THE hostess always prepares some sort of refreshments for her guests on her regular at-home day. In winter tea or hot chocolate, with wafers or cake may be served. Light sandwiches and hushies are quite correct. In warm weather, if there are eaters, iced tea, chocolate or punch are suitable.

WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND — BY BRIGGS



THE OLD HOME TOWN

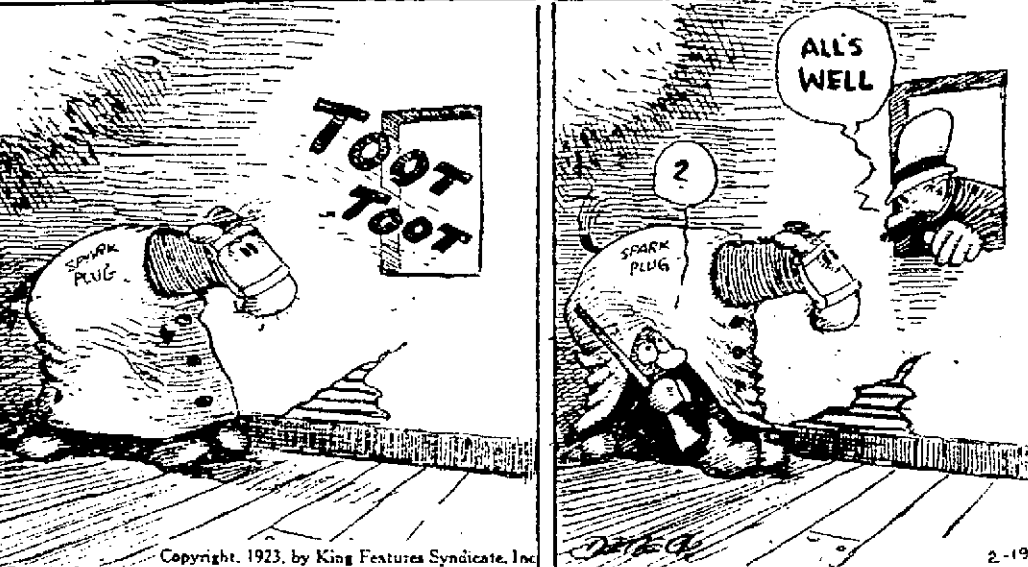
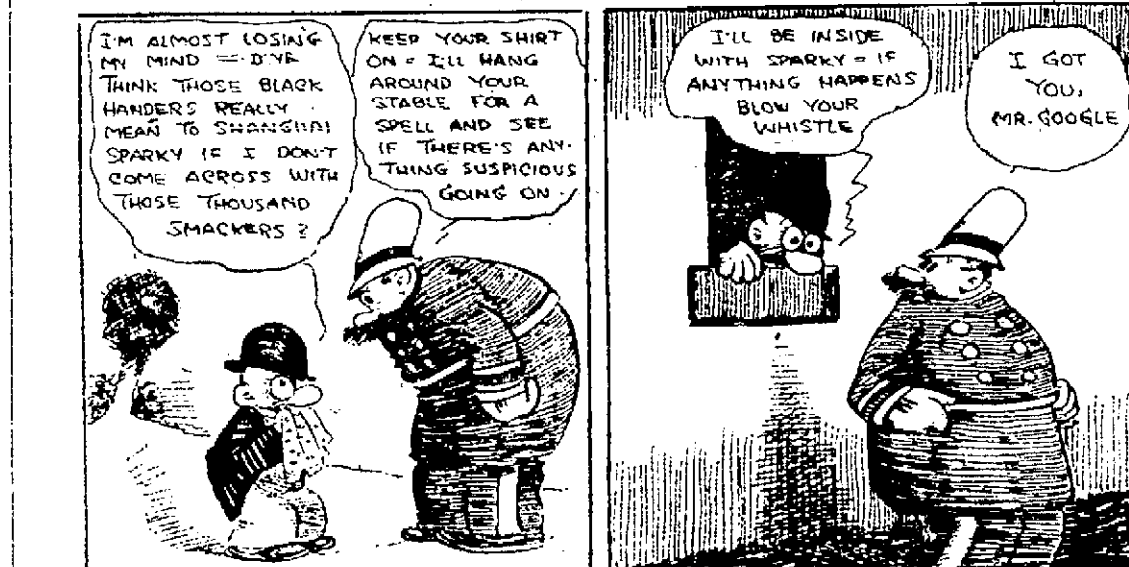
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False Alarm

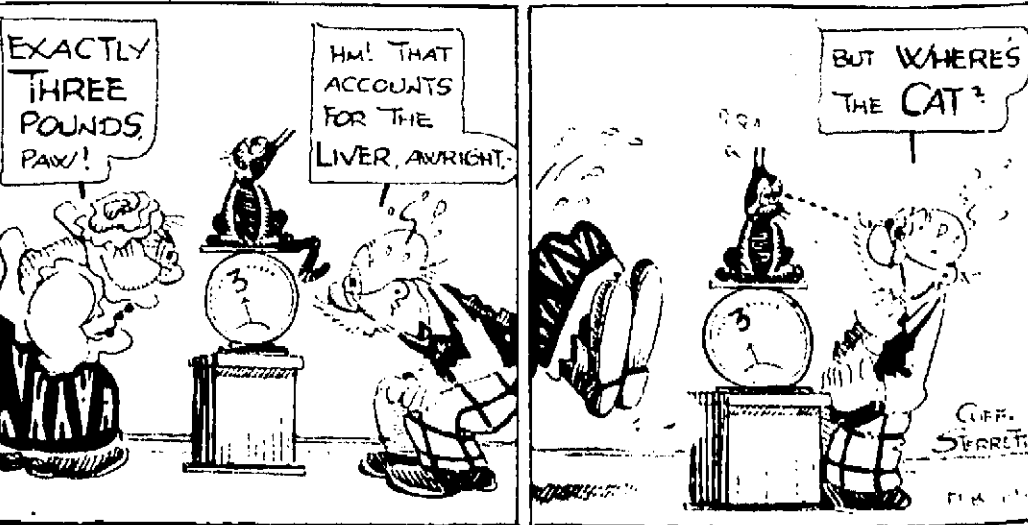
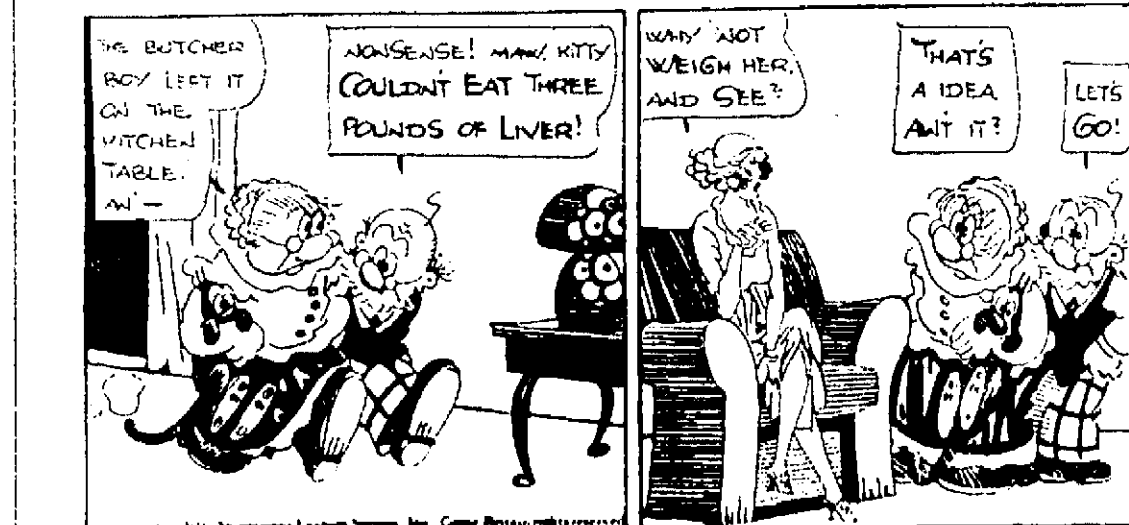
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POLLY AND HER PALS

The Cat Has An Alibi

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